Weather

Clear and cool. The maximum temperature yesterday was 55.2 and the minimum 37.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 53.6 and 49.1.

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TUCHUN IS BLAMED FOR FLOODS IN SHANTUNG

Famine Relief Committee Scores Tien Chung-yu

DISPUTE CITED

Shanghai Engineering Firm Wants Contract Protected

A statement by the International Famine Relief Committee, of Peking, issued yesterday through Reuter's, accused Tuchun Tien Chung-yu, of Shantung, of hindering construction work on the two-mile break in the Yellow River in and adjacent to the Li-chin district, thereby inviting further devastation by flood.

It now develops that the reason for the delay in starting repair work hinges on a dispute between the Asia Development Company, an American engineering firm, of Shanghai, and the Tuchun, over the question of responsibility in the event of "an act of God or Force Majeure" making the project more costly than the engineering company's bid of $950,000.

The Shantung Military Governor insists that the American firm must guarantee any loss that might result from any cause as soon as the contract is signed.

As a concession on the part of the local firm, an official of the company stated yesterday that his concern is now prepared to undertake the risk provided an increase is made over the contract price of $950,000 to cover insurance. But on account of the sudden departure of Tuchun Tien for Peking on a political mission, the signing of the contract has been held up.

COMMITTEE'S STATEMENT

The Famine Relief Committee's statement, issued from Peking under a "Reuter's Pacific Service" date line, follows:

"Failing at the eleventh hour to fulfil his promised support, Tuchun Tien Chung-yu of Shantung is responsible for the delay in beginning work to close the two-mile Yellow River break in and around the Li-chin district of Shantung.

"The break caused the flood in Shantung early last autumn depriving multitudes of farms and homes and drawning thousands of inhabitants of that region.

"The cost of closing the break was variously estimated by the Chinese contractors associated with the Chinese authorities at four to five million dollars. That the work was not commenced any earlier was mainly due to the lack of necessary funds.

"Lately, however, through the intermediary of the International Famine Relief Committee, a foreign engineer was sent to the scene and was asked to submit a bid. The engineer was willing to sign a contract to complete the job within a specified time, subject to a penalty for every day the work remained uncompleted after the contracted period, at a cost of $950,000.

PROMISED SUPPORT

"The matter met with the approval of the Tuchun of Shantung, General Tien Chung-yu, who promised support and agreed to furnish guarantees for payment to the contractors when the contract was signed.

"The contract was about to be signed when the Tuchun failed to furnish the promised guarantee and the prospect for closing the break is as dark as ever.

"In reporting the withdrawal of the promised support, an International Famine Relief worker wired in the following terms:

"'Tien Tuchun fails produce guarantees. Half million homes Shantung doomed. American firm engineers called in produce absolute guarantee to close big Yellow River break by July first, at cost of nine hundred fifty thousand dollars. Chinese estimates four to five millions. Asia Development Company, president Whitam, Chief Engineer Todd come at Governor's request. They waited three days after date set for signing contract.

"'Governor fails produce guarantors or security and sacrifices only chance of saving people from summer floods. Four hsiens still under mud and water. No hope for crops or reestablish homes. Region will be continuously reflooded until break repaired. Thousands must evacuate No place to go.'"

Statue For Erin

BONNIE McLeary, of New York, has been commissioned by Irish-Americans to make a bronze statue symbolising the Irish State, which will be erected in College Green, Dublin.

PHILIPPINES TO SEND MISSION TO AMERICA SOON

Leaders Think Time Is Ripe For Independence Plea

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, March 8.—Believing that the time is ripe to send another independence mission to the United States, Speaker Osmena, Senator Quezon and a few other leading politicians of the Philippines have made definite arrangements to leave for Washington late in April. An invitation to General Emilio Aguinaldo

to accompany the mission as honorary president has been extended by the other members, and it is believed that General Aguinaldo will accept.

Discussing the mission's prospects, Mr. Osmena says:

"This is the psychological time to send another mission to the United States. The course world events are taking is favorable to our national cause. The tendency of the times seems to be to break the ties of dependency which bind smaller nations to the more powerful ones against the will of the former, as is shown by England's emancipation of Egypt.

"The agreement by the nations to insure peace on the Pacific guarantees the territorial integrity of liberated countries."

Members of the Mission will return from the United States in time for the opening of the legislature next October.

Tardieu Wants Others Punished In Banque Crash

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, March 20.—M. Tardieu writing in the Echo National contends that if M. Philippe Berthelot is justly punished he must not remain the scapegoat. The writer seeks to bring in M. Briand, who, he says, cloaked over and over again in the Chamber M. Berthelot's actions, and also the President of the Republic. M. Tardieu adds that the whole Government brought about this affair, and therefore the procedure of the whole Government must be investigated. This, he says, is all the more necessary as the majority of the Ministers then in the Cabinet are also Ministers in the Cabinet today.

AMERICANS HERE WILL GIVE DINNER TO DR. SCHURMAN

Minister Will Be Guest At Astor Tuesday; Tea Dance Also Planned

A dinner to be tendered by the American community at the Astor House next Tuesday evening and a tea dance to be held either Monday or Tuesday at the Columbia Country Club will be the principal entertainment features in connection with the impending visit of Dr. J. G. Schurman, United States Minister to China, who is returning to Peking from Manila and South China.

The program is being arranged by the American Chamber of Commerce and the American Association. The dinner is open to all Americans and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. Members of the American community desirous of reserving places are requested to communicate with Mr. D. J. Lewis, secretary of the American Chamber of Commerce, Robert Dollar Building. Tickets are $5 each.

Dr. Schurman is due to reach Shanghai Sunday or Monday and the tea dance date is dependent upon the time of his arrival. Definite announcement will be made later. Dr. Schurman left Swatow yesterday and, after spending a day in Amoy, he is to be entertained by Chinese dignitaries in Foochow on Thursday. He will come direct to Shanghai from Foochow and may go from here to Hangchow for a brief visit.

Among the guests at the banquet next Tuesday evening will be twenty members of the Wusih Chamber of Commerce, who will be in town as the guests of the American Chamber of Commerce. The visitors are to be tendered a tiffin at the Union Club Tuesday noon and will be conducted to the China Electric Company's plant for a trip of inspection in the afternoon and taken for a tour of the city.

RAISE CHARGES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, March 20.—The Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, have announced that owing to the increased cost of working and maintenance, it is necessary to raise the charges for landing, shipping and storing cargo. The charges will be increased by 10 percent from April 1.

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MILITARY TO SEIZE PIER HERE, SAYS GENERAL HO

Chinese Government Holds Lease Has Expired

REASONS GIVEN

Terms Violated By Japanese, Is Contention

Holding that the statement issued by the Kaiyosha Company Saturday denying the right of the Chinese authorities to take over the Yangtsze Wharf in Pootung, of which they are tenants, was incorrect, the secretariat of the Defense Commissioner of Sunkiang and Shanghai yesterday issued a statement, exclusively to THE CHINA PRESS. The statement indicates that the wharf will be seized by the local Chinese authorities on March 26.

The Kaiyosha Company's statement was issued through their attorneys Messrs. Ellis and Hays, exclusively to THE CHINA PRESS and appeared in this publication on Saturday morning.

The full text of the Defense Commissioner's reply to the Japanese statement follows:

The Yangtsze Wharf at Pootung, formerly owned by a German company, was seized by the Chinese Government in 1917 and leased to the Japanese firm of Kaiyosha Company in 1918.

The lease expired last year. Before the expiration, the Government was informed that the company had failed to maintain the said property in a good condition, which fact was proved by surveyors later on. In accordance with paragraphs 3 and 4 of clause 2 and paragraph 1 of clause 4 of the lease, it was stipulated that "the tenants....to keep the demised premises....the steam launch in good....repair condition," and "if any covenant on the tenant's part herein contained shall not be performed or observed....it shall be lawful for the landlords at any time to re-enter upon the demised premises and the said steam launch....thereupon this demise shall absolutely terminate."

The Government addressed a notice to the company through its attorneys, Messrs. Fleming, Davies and Bryan, that the lease was to terminate on August 15, 1921, and thereforth there would be no renewal because of the non-performance of the covenants on the part of the tenants.

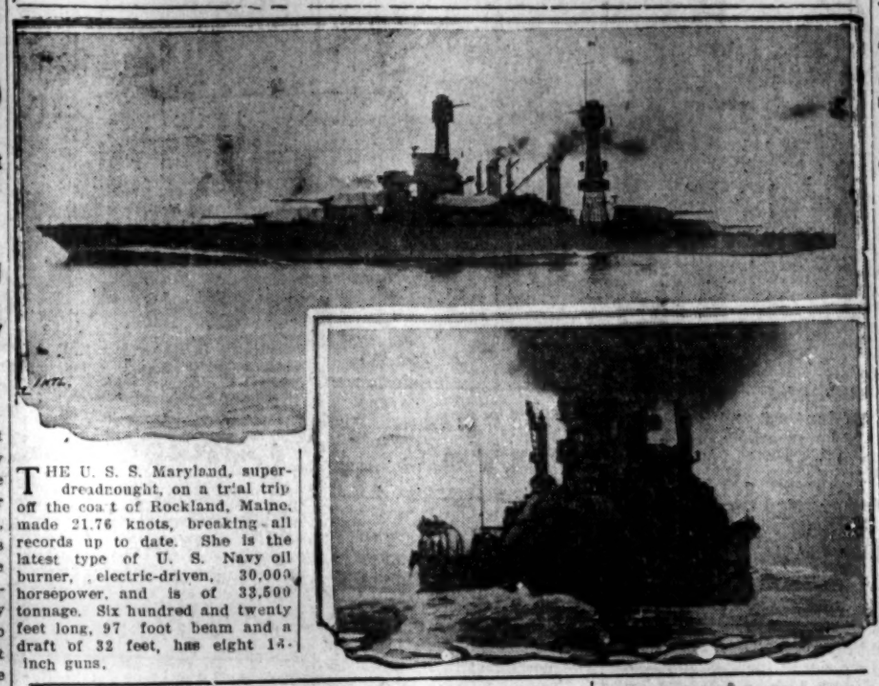
The company then wrote back insisting on its right of option for renewal. This was subsequently refused by the Government since the said right had been forfeited on account of the tenant's nonperformance of the said clause.

Furthermore the government was justified in withdrawing the option on the ground of clause 4, that "in the event of a treaty of peace signed between Republic of China and Empire of Germany or so soon thereafter as arrangements shall be made.... by governmental action for the return or any other disposition of enemy property then and in any such event this....demise or any renewal thereof....shall at once cease and terminate and everything herein contained shall cease and be void."

This matter was communicated to the Japanese Minister in Peking for transmission to the company last year. But the company paid no attention to such notifications and has illegally retained possession of the said property for nearly six months after the expiration of the said lease. In consequence of this the government was obliged to instruct the Defense Commissioner for Sungkiang and Shanghai to seize the property in question.

The Defense Commissioner has accordingly written twice to notify the Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai to this effect through the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs here, and it was clearly stated in the last note that the property would be seized on the 19th instant. From the latest information the Defense Commissioner, hoping that this matter will be satisfactorily solved through diplomatic channels, has extended the period of seizure for another week.

U. S. S. Maryland, Speediest Superdreadnought



THE U. S. S. Maryland, superdreadnought, on a trial trip off the coast of Rockland, Maine, made 21.76 knots, breaking all records up to date. She is the latest type of U. S. Navy oil burner, electric-driven, 30,000 horsepower, and is of 33,500 tonnage. Six hundred and twenty feet long, 97 foot beam and a draft of 32 feet, has eight 14-inch guns.

Peking Qualifies For Halo If Monastics Are Factor

By Elsie McCormick

If a high proportion of monks to the population has any bearing on sanctity, Peking should be wearing a halo. One sees shaven Buddhist monks in wide-sleeved gray robes running restless fingers over wooden rosaries; Taoist monks clad in blue gowns out after the patterns of the Ming Dynasty; and lamas, dressed in dingy yellow or red, and frequently topped by a ceremonial hat resembling the helmet of a Roman soldier. Sometimes the religious brethren wander amiably hand in hand, enjoying the sights of a temple fair; sometimes a Taoist, dressed in full regalia, is seen hurrying off to evict a demon or curse with scientific thoroughness somebody who has dug up somebody's else cabbage-bed; and often all three varieties are noted in a condition of sartorial gergeousness, following a funeral and extracting occasional notes from a musical instrument that looks like a butter-churn.

It would be interesting to learn just how the monastic idea ever secured its hold on the religions of China. Sinologues are a bit vague on the subject, a few of the more daring suggesting that it came from the West through the Nestorians or through some early and adventurous Roman Catholic missionaries who somehow escaped being written up by the star reporters of the day. Devout followers of the Wheel of the Law say that Buddha himself founded the monastic orders. Then, "after duly considering the dangers of such a course," he was inspired to open several nunneries, in the lineal descendants of which shaven-pated nuns still follow a candle-lit ritual of meditation and prayer.

PICTURESQUE IF DINGY

Whether they began by direct inspiration of the Buddha or by imitation of half-understood religions from the West, we didn't succeed in determining up to the time of going to press. No matter what their origin, we must admit that the monasteries and their inmates give a bit of picturesqueness to the faiths that they ornament, in spite of the fact that their sins of omission are many and their washdays are few. Cloisters are numerous in Peking, because of former juxtaposition to the imperial treasury and present largess from the cheerful foreign sightseer. Whenever a group of newly-arrived tourists are reported by a watchman at one of the more impoverished monasteries, the monks begin to hack yellow tiles from the roof and to harvest a few figures from the eaves. Experience with American souvenir hunters has taught them that the travelers will get a piece of the building anyway, so they might as well forestall the event and charge the full retail price.

A little observation of monk countenances soon enables the foreigner to pick the various orders without troubling to look at the costumes. Buddhist monks seem always to be without expression. Their faces look as gray as their gowns and the long periods of meditation seem to produce a facial blankness which probably has a mental counterpart. Lamas are usually shifty-eyed creatures whom one would dislike to meet in a dark alley while wearing a diamond scarf-pin. The countenances of Taoist monks, on the contrary, are traced all over by wrinkles of quizzical good nature and their eyes have the frolicsome friendliness of a young pup about to demolish a pair of overshoes.

The traits of character expressed by their faces are borne out by the manner in which they receive visitors. Taoists are notoriously hospitable. In the White Cloud Temple of Peking, the monks led us pridefully from courtyard to courtyard, struck sweet-toned bells for us, lighted altar tapers, gave us tea, showed us their sacred books, and presented us on departing with a neat little brochure intended to convert us to Taoism. They showed us a theater built in the rear of the monastery so that the monks can enjoy a quiet musical comedy now and then without subjecting themselves to the conspicuousness of the bald-headed row. Buddhist monks are forbidden to witness theatrical performances, or to take part in dancing or singing, which accounts perhaps for the look of boredom they wear on the particular way-station to Nirvana.

We remember encountering a group of Taoist monks on a hillside of Hangchow where we were enjoying a picnic supper. They strolled down hand in hand from their monastery on the stope, grouped themselves gracefully around our food, adjusted the silver pins in their top-knots with expert fingers, and gulped sympathetically every time we swallowed. Our hostess was finally moved to offer them some slices of watermelon and the scrapings of the ice-cream freezer. They accepted with many bows and attacked the ice-cream gamely though the abbot remarked somewhat later that his stomach was very bad. He recovered sufficiently, however, to gather a few wild flowers for us and to remark that if ever we wanted a really good meal, we should drop in at the monastery.

Taoist priests, we have noted, rarely ask for money. Collection plates containing a few coppers repose casually in front of their altars, but nobody passes them around. Once a year the White Cloud Temple gathers a little capital by covering a priest's head with what resembles a catcher's mask and stationing him in a little pit. Visitors and pilgrims are encouraged to drop coins in the pit, and those who succeed in hitting the unfortunate priest are assured of good joss until a whole year rolls by. As most of the Chinese worshippers are not famous for their pitching ability, enough coins are usually dropped to buy punk-sticks, secure a new supply of rice, and even paint the idols.

Buddhist monks as a rule pace the courtyards with rosaries in their hands and register little interest in visitors. Their blank faces are not improved by the closely-shaven heads and the double row of burns resulting

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GOVERNOR WANG HERE TO RAISE $800,000 LOAN

Executive To Be Guest At Tea At Foreign Bureau This Afternoon

The Bureau of Foreign Affairs, Bubbling Well Road, will give a tea party in honor of Mr. Wang Hu, Civil Governor of this province, this afternoon to enable him to meet members of the local Consular Body. Mr. Wang, who arrived on Sunday, is here to launch the financial campaign for $1,200,000 for famine relief in Kiangsu. Of this money $800,000 is expected to be obtained through a loan with the Chinese bankers here while the balance is to be raised by voluntary contribution.

Mr. Wang spent yesterday morning in Woosung where he inspected the work of the Woosung dyke and was the guest of honor at dinner given by Nien Chia-hsu, financial commissioner of Shanghai, at the Yih Tse Shang Restaurant. He leaves for Nanking tomorrow. During his sojourn, he is residing at the home of Commissioner Nien on North Nanyang Road.

A meeting was held on Sunday afternoon at the Chinese Chamber of Commerce at which Governor Wang spoke on the necessity of immediate financial aid. He pointed out that while it required $513,500 to relieve the sufferers of the famine last year, the present season would require about $1,200,000. Only ten percent of this had already been raised. The plan of the Tuchun, Chi Shih-yuan, and himself was to pledge the five kinds of surtaxes to be assessed by the province beginning on April 21, for a loan from the Shanghai bankers. The total receipt for the year would amount to more than a million dollars and the provincial authorities are quite willing to pay interest at a rate of one percent per month, said the governor.

The surtax will be imposed on railroads, inland steamers, telegraphs, wine and tobacco and lotteries. Detailed regulations for the imposition of the taxes have been issued by the Ministry of Communications in response to the demand of the local merchants.

The headquarters of the Kiangsu Flood Relief Committee is at the Kwang Jen Benevolent Institution, North Chengtu Road. The resident director of the institution is Mr. Feng Hsu, the 80-year-old philanthropist who has figured in so many benevolent affairs.

Commissioner Nien presided at the meeting and drew a graphic picture of the famine condition in 44 cities affected by the disaster. Only ten cities in the province were not affected, according to the financial commissioner. He also gave a detailed report of the half-million dollars spent last winter in the affected districts.

Following the meeting, the proposition was made to the local bankers in a letter signed by Governor Wang, Tuchun Chi Shih-yuan and the local Defense Commissioner, Ho Fung-ling. It is expected that the Chinese Bankers' Association will act upon the suggestion at an early date.

PACIFIC WAR AVERTED BY 4 POWER PACT, SAYS GEDDES

Statement Attributed To Briton Stirs Senate

LODGE QUIZZED

Administration Leader Silent On Robinson Charge

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 20.—It is reported from Washington that the Senate was stirred by a charge made by Senator Robinson, in the course of a debate, that Sir Auckland Geddes, in a speech at Los Angeles, declared that an imminent war in the Pacific had been arrested by the Four-Power Treaty. Senator Robinson declared that if Sir Auckland Geddes were correct, the United States should arm to the teeth rather than disarm. He challenged Senator Lodge to say if the statement were correct. Senator Lodge remained silent.

London, March 20.—Sir Philip Gibbs, interviewed on his return yesterday from America, expressed the opinion that the people of the Middle-West and Western States were now taking a greater interest in politics. The electorate desired its representatives to strengthen the Government's hands in carrying out the Four-Power Treaty.

S. African Mine Strike Called Off

(Reuter's Service)

Johannesburg, March 20.—Martial law in the central area is being relaxed. The Amalgamated Engineers are the only Union which has not yet called off the strike. This is due to balloting difficulties, which are expected to be overcome immediately.

A memorial service, in honor of the fallen amongst those who answered the Government's call for assistance was held outside the Town Hall on Sunday. All the units engaged in quelling the revolution were well represented.

General Smuts has issued an appeal to employers to re-engage as many men as possible and not to take advantage of the present situation in order unnecessarily to change labor conditions.

Ulster Firm In Determination To Keep Territory

(China Press Service)

Cork, March 17.—Four men were wounded in a clash between Republican police and raiders today.

Belfast March 17.—Speakers at the Orange meeting at Kilkeel last night including the wife of Premier Craig of Ulster declared that not an inch of territory will be yielded to South Ireland.

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 18.—St. Patrick's Day—the great public holiday in Ireland—passed off quietly, the chief spectacle being the trooping of the colors in Dublin by the Irish Republican Army, a ceremony which has always hitherto being performed by British troops.

With such evidence that the Irish army is becoming an institution, the question of its control has been raised in a manner calculated to sharpen the differences between those sections of the population which are in favor of and opposed to the treaty.

President Griffiths had prohibited the forthcoming convention of delegates of the Irish Republican Army, but speakers at a Republican demonstration in Dublin yesterday declared that the convention would be held despite the prohibition, explaining that its purpose was to establish an "executive of the army." This is regarded by the Government as an attempt to establish a military government, not owing allegiance to the Dail Eireann, on which the Government insists unconditionally.

London, March 18.—Three persons were killed and several wounded in a three hours bombing of houses and fusiliading of streets in the Catholic quarter of Belfast this morning.

GHANDI DRAWS SIX-YEAR TERM; 'THANKS' JUDGE

Rebel Leader Grateful For Light Sentence

(Reuter's Service)

Ahmedabad, March 18.—Mr. Gandhi has been sentenced to six years simple imprisonment.

Indians in Shanghai fasted for three days as a silent tribute to Ghandi, leader of the Non-co-operation movement in India, following his arrest by the British Government, according to the Shanghai Nippo, local Japanese newspaper.

The Nippo says the Indians fasted from March 13 to 15 inclusive when general word was received of the Indian leaders arrest, and asserts, editorially, "that the arrest of Ghandi will not break the spirit of the Indians." Ghandi was not arrested when other leaders were, the Nippo declares, "because the British Government was afraid that it would start a revolution as Ghandi is their idol."

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 19.—Particulars of Mr. Gandhi's trial, which have been received from Ahmedabad show that he pleaded guilty to all the charges and assumed the blame for the recent disorders but said that if he was freed he would still play with fire. He disclaimed illwill against the officials or disaffection towards the King's person.

The Judge's speech was noteworthy because of the high terms in which he spoke of the accused, but said that he had committed a great offence against the State and passed the same sentence on him as on the notorious agitator, the late Tilak, namely, two years on each count.

Mr. Gandhi in reply thanked the Court for their courtesy and expressed the opinion that the sentence was the lightest any judge could inflict. The crowd learned of the sentence very calmly.

Ahmedabad, March 19.—Mr. Shankerlal Banker, the Indian nationalist leader who was arrested on March 12, has been found guilty of a charge under the criminal code and sentenced to one year simple imprisonment and a fine of a thousand rupees, or an additional six months imprisonment.

Calcutta, March 20.—The East Indian Railway strikers are resuming in satisfactory numbers at all the stations above Jhajha and Gya except Mogulserai.. The majority of the railwaymen have resumed at Allahabad but the locomotive men are still striking at Cawnpore Sixty percent of the locomotive men have resumed at Dinapore.

A certain amount of intimidation continues. A mob of strikers at Ondal assaulted the European staff.

Mr. Chowdbury, a labor member of the Bengal Legislative Council, has telegraphed to the Viceroy, asserting that the strike is assuming a serious development as the Bengal and Napur railwaymen and coalminers are threatening sympathetic action. He points out that a settlement is possible if all the strikers are taken back, pending a modification of the gratuity rules.

Ahmedabad, March 19.—The working committee of the All India Congress Committee, after a six-hour heated debate, passed a resolution declaring that Mr. Gandhi's arrest and restraint had considerably advanced the Khilafat and Swaraj causes, and that the arrest had not changed the Bardoli program which includes individual and civil disobedience.

London, March 18.—Viscount Peel has been appointed Secretary of State for India.

Delhi, March 20.—The Assembly sanctioned with applause a budget provision for defraying the expense of the visit of Mr. Sastri, India's representative to the Washington Conference, to Australasia and Canada.

Chapei Police Stop Taxpayers' Meeting

Police interference prevented the holding at the Chin Woo Athletic Association of the first meeting of Chinese ratepayers in Chapei on Sunday. The dissatisfied crowd, about 500 strong, then thronged the yard of a Chinese church and appointed a committee of 22 to make provision for the formal meeting of organisation.

Thousands of circulars distributed on Saturday urged the taxpayers of Chapei to organise and seek for municipal improvements such as affecting highway, water and electricity.

LOAN INQUIRY

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 16.—The Loan Investigation Commission has received a telegram from various public bodies in Shanghai saying that they are sending three delegates to Peking to ascertain and report the facts concerning the "financial scandal."

This Is A J-Cycle

THIS unique bicycle, which its inventor calls the "J-cycle," makes this popular means of transportation more adaptable for use by folks of all ages. The rider does not have to lean over, but sits up straight as in a chair and keeps his entire body in normal position.

Peking Qualifies For Halo If Monastics Are Factor

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from a treat-'em-rough initiation. When a neophyte takes his final vows, from eight to thirteen sticks of charcoal are set on his head and then lighted. By the time they have finally burned away, the monk has good reason to remember his ordination.

Lamas, we have observed, are the enfants terribles of the cloistered brethren. They are fully as hospitable as a convention of bumble bees and as gracefully courteous as a union picket to conversation with a strike-breaker. The visitor to the Yellow Temple in Peking has dirty paws thrust at him before every gateway, and runs a lively chance of finding the doors shut in his face if he refuses more money on the way out. The first foreigner who ever entered the Lama Temple gained his way by bringing the Head Lama a tin of biscuits. We don't know whether that method is still good or not but we fear, judging from the constant demands for money, that his tastes have grown rather more expensive.

There are scholars among the monks and men of proven piety. The majority, however, seem inlined to yawn behind their hands as they chant in the wake of the Greater Vehicle to Nirvana.

Mercury Takes Dive As High Wind Gallops Through The City

With an accompaniment of banging shutters and signboards, likewise a clattering of bricks from an occasional chimney, a large sized wind zipped into town from the N.W. Sunday night and brought occupation to most of the city's minor repair men. Some wires were reported down yesterday following the blow and a number of adolescent trees were flattened in various parts of the Settlement.

Out in the Chapei district numerous mud huts are reported as being levelled, rendering many people homeless, but for the most part the damage here was slight.

Some other towns in this locality fared worse, however, according to despatches received. In Wusih the electric light system was so hard hit that the entire city was darkened, while shopkeepers had to put up their shutters and take down their signboards early in the evening.

The wind carried with it a fine fog of sand which some local experts trace back as far as the Gobi desert.

Chinese hold that such a wind at this time of year marks the end of cold weather, but a glance at the thermometer as we hurricane to press lends little in the way of confirmation for this prognostication.

CLUB WOMEN TO HEAR TALK TODAY O N MYTHOLOGY

The American Woman's Club will hold its regular meeting at the Carlton Cafe this afternoon, the principal item on the day's program being a reading by Mr. Charles Kliene on Chinese mythology.

Mr. Kliene's talk has been looked forward to with much interest and an unusually large attendance is expected. Members of the Literary Department of the British Women's Association have been invited to be present.

The Executive Board of the American Woman's Club will meet at the Carlton at 3 o'clock, previous to the regular meeting.

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Novara Aground Outside Woosung Owing To Fog

The P. and O. steamer Novara, which was due to arrive from London and ports yesterday morning, went aground outside Woosung in the dense fog.

It was expected that the first high tide would enable the refloating of the vessel, but last evening a wireless message to the agents stated that she was still on the bar though she had changed her position. It was not expected that much further difficulty would be encountered, however, in getting the ship off and she will probably arrive in port with the mails today.

ARMSTRONG APPEALS

Mr. G. T. Armstrong, who was fined $50 and sentenced to 48 hours in jail by United States Commissioner F. J. Schuhl Saturday for kicking a riksha coolie, has taken an appeal in the case and the matter will come up for rehearing before the judge of the United States for China when he returns. In view of notice of appeal the defendant was not required to serve the sentence imposed, being released on his own recognisance.

Lack Of Funds To Halt U. S. Training

(China Press Service)

Washington, March 17.—Acting Secretary of War said that the appropriation committee's proposal to reduce the appropriation for reserve officers from $5,000,000 to $2,500,000 would prevent carrying out the plan to train 173,000 reserve and officers this summer.

WENATCHEE DUE 23RD

The next in-coming mail from the States will be by the Wanatchee due to arrive here on Thursday. The Empress of Asia will convey outgoing mail matter to America. She is expected to call here on March 25.

Gilmore Sails For Manila On Hoosier

San Francisco, March 4.—Eugene A. Gilmore, vice governor of the Philippines, his wife and other members of his family, sailed for Manila today on the steamer Hoosier State.

Delegates Arriving To Attend Meeting In Peking Next Month

World's Student Christian Conference Men Come On Empire State

Shanghai is now receiving visitors en route to the conference of the World's Student Christian Federation at Peking. Arriving on the Empire State was Mr. R. O. Hall (Oxon), Secretary British Student Volunteer Union of the Student Movement of Great Britain. Mr. Hall is a graduate of Brasnos College, Oxford. Enroute to China Mr. Hall made an extended tour of student centers in India. He will represent at Peking the British Student Movement, together with Miss Janet McClay, member of General Committee of W. S. C. F. and Dr. H. T. Hodgkin, M. B., M. A. (Cambridge) former Treasurer, W. S. C. F., and for some time a visitor in China.

Also arriving on the Empire State was Mr. Charles B. Hurrey. Mr. Hurrey after graduated from the University of Michigan spent some years as the general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of South America. More recently he has been the secretary of the Friendly Relations Committee of the U. S. A. and Canada. During the war Mr. Hurrey was active in the work of the Red Triangle in France and Italy. On account of his wide acquaintance with the Christian students in all parts of the world Mr. Hurrey has been recently appointed the Traveling Secretary of the W. S. C. F. He will be active in the conference of the Federation to be held next month in Peking.

Marine Fund

The Secretary of the China Coast Officers' Guild gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following donations to the Mercantile Marine Masters and Officers' Fund:

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Secretary.

SCHOOL STRIKE ENDS

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanchang, March 14.—The teachers strike called last week in all government schools in Kiangsi Province has been settled, so far as the schools in Nanchang are concerned. At a meeting of all the teachers at the Educational Society this afternoon it was proposed that back salaries should be paid at once and all future salary payments made promptly to teachers in Nanchang from the Provincial treasury and to teachers outside of Nanchang from the hsien treasuries. There is some fear that while this arrangement is satisfactory to teachers in the capital that it may not be approved by those who hereafter will have to depend upon the local hsien magistrate for their pay.

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Making a highly successful performance the steamer Mei Ren, which is shortly to go on the Ichang-Chungking run for the American West China Navigation Company, completed her trials outside Wocsung Sunday afternoon.

Through the courtesy of the management of the company some 150 guests were permitted to enjoy the trip and witness the vessel's triumph, besides inspecting the numerous innovations which she carries in the way of accommodations.

The Mei Ren Sunday made an average speed of 12 knots. In her speed tests she has notched an average of 14.35 knots per hour in three runs against the tide and three with it. Sunday's run completed her trials. The trip extended about 20 miles outside of Woosung and was made with General Manager B. C. Haile in charge.

The Mei Ren is fitted out with an ice plant and special cold storage facilities, a foreign galley on the saloon deck and even includes a tea garden, all of which proved of much interest to guests on the run Sunday. The ship is the first of her class to be fitted with steel derricks for the handling of heavy cargo and the steering gear is of special construction for the stresses of the Gorges trip.

The Mei Ren will leave here March 28 for Hankow.

CONFAB DENOUNCED

Representatives of 20 labor organisations in Shanghai met yesterday at the China Electrical Engineers Union in Dong Ka Loong and passed a resolution denouncing the Conference on National Affairs now in session at the Chinese Chamber of Commerce They maintained that the conference is instigated by certain militarists to further their own interests.

Going To New Post In Samoan Islands

On his way to his new post as Consul on the Island of Upola, in the Samoan Islands, Mr. J. T. Lee, formerly Chinese Consul at Manila leaves Shanghai for the South tomorrow, accompanied by his family.

Mr. Lee will go first to Hongkong, by the steamer Sunning, and will then visit in Canton, returning to Hongkong to board a steamer for Sydney.

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PACIFIC RATE WAR THREATENS; 8 LINES INVOLVED

Companies In San Francisco Decide On Drastic Cuts

(China Press Service)

San Francisco, March 19.—At a conference of representatives of eight ship lines from San Francisco to the Orient, it was declared that the lines must be operated on a narrower margin to compete with British and Japanese liners which recently reduced rates to China from Puget Sound and Columbia River ports.

It is expected that this action will precipitate a bitter rate war as Secretary Edwards of the Pacific Westbound Conference stated:

"We have been cutting rates to a ridiculous figure in our effort to obtain business and now we are forced to meet the competition of the Pacific northwest as a result of which freight coming to the Pacific coast for export has crossed the seas in foreign ships while the American vessels were compelled to sail with empty holds."

The lines affected are the Java-Pacific, Pacific Mail, Dollar, China Mail, Furness, McCormack and McPherson and Struthers and Barry. Each will make whatever rates it find necessary to get the business.

The shipping companies here are not aware of this decision. Mr. L. Everett, of Messrs. Struthers and Barry, in an interview yesterday, said that originally the T.K.K., the China Mail and the Robert Dollar Company were outside the Conference. The operating management of the United States Shipping Board undertook to get the outside lines into an agreement. It is very likely that that idea had fallen through and the companies would have to fight outside competition, he said.

The desire all along had been to stabilise the freight rates, get the rates on such commodities raised as could stand it. The general tariff rates from the Pacific Coast to the Orient had gone down very low, while the revenue derived had been less than the cost of operating ships, Mr. Everett continued. He said:

"The tendency on the part of the Shipping Board has all along been to achieve all this by amicable means, and they did not feel disposed to fight the outside lines. Their disposition has been to meet competition rather than beat it, but the carrying of freight from the Pacific Northwest at ridiculous rates has compelled the shipping lines to cut away from the conference and to fight this rate war to a finish.

"A number of tramp Japanese boats have been going to the Pacific Northwest coast and bringing lumber to Japan at ridiculous rates. There has been a big movement of lumber from the Pacific Northwest and it is surprising how little of this has been transported in American ships. Freight conferences have proved fruitless."

Today's Concert

The twenty-fourth concert of the symphony concert season, to be given at 9:15 p.m. tonight by the Municipal Orchestra at the Town Hall, will deal with Italian composers, including Rossini, Mascagni, Puccini and Verdi. The soloists will be Signora Ester Valazzi, soprano, and Signor Luigi Valazzi, basso, and the program will be as follows:

1.—Overture "Il Barbiere di Siviglia" Rossini
2.—Cavatina "La Calunnia...." from "Il Barbiere di Siviglia" Rossini
Soloist: Signor L. Valazzi
3.—Prelude "Cavalleria Rusticana" ..... Mascagni
4.—Santuzza—Scene from "Cavalleria Rusticana" ..... Mascagni
Soloist: Signora E. Valazzi.
5.—Prayer from "La Tosca" ... Puccini
Soloist: Signora E. Valazzi.
6.—Symphonic Intermezzo from "Manon Lescaut" .....Puccini
7.—Fragments from Opera "Aida" Verdi
(a) Prelude Act 3.
(b) Aida's Aria "O cieli azzurri" (Signor E. Valazzi).
(c) Duet Aida—Amonasro (Signora E. Valazzi and Signor L. Valazzi)
(d) Triumphal March.
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To powder or not to powder? That question will be settled at Knobel, Ark., by Judge Marion Futrell, who will decide officially whether members of the Knobel Board of Education have a legal right to expel a student for using face powder. Following her expulsion by Principal N. E. Hick for refusal to wash powder from her face Miss Pugsley filed mandamus proceedings against members of the school board.

House Committee Deaf To Plea For Political Prisoners

(China Press Service)

Washington, March 17.—Lawyers and representatives of different organisations urged the House Judiciary committee to report on a resolution requesting President Harding to give "careful consideration" to the propriety of an immediate amnesty for 113 political prisoners.

The committee opposed the resolution holding that Congress is powerless to direct the President to act on such matters.

Tsingtau Code Now Being Drafted

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 17.—At the meeting of the Cabinet yesterday it was decided to draft regulations to govern municipal affairs in Kiaochao, after its restoration. Messrs Tang Tsai-cheng, Chi Ching and Shih Lu-peng, members of the Special Committee to investigate affairs in Kiaochao, have left Tsinanfu for Tsingtao.

FIUME CONFERENCE

(Chung Mei Service)

Paris, March 18.—There will be a conference upon the Fiume situation in Paris at the beginning of next week. The Italian government has announced its intention of fulfilling the conditions of the Rappallo treaty. Public opinion as expressed by the Italian and French press seems strongly in favor of this policy.

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Student Federation Confab To Open In Peking April 4th Has Interesting Program

The program for the World's Student Christian Federation Conference which is to open at Peking on April 4 is an indication that students of today are interested in every phase of modern society. Not so very long ago the student class in most countries was a class apart, priveleged, more or less aristocratic in its outlook, full of theories about life, but without much direct touch with its hard facts.

The Student Christian movement has done a great deal to change this attitude. It has not only promoted the study of social questions; it has also inspired and published literature, has arranged conferences for study and discussion, has co-operated heartily in movements for workers' education, has arranged discussion groups between the students and groups of manual workers, and in countless ways has demonstrated that the attention of students was focussed on social questions. The Student Christian movement has often been accused of being ultra-radical and idealistic, full of hair-brained theories, and has been looked on with considerable suspicion by people of settled ideas. But the thought of the whole world is gradually swinging to the position which this movement has held since its inception, it is declared.

Benjamin Kidd in his Social Evolution has an interesting chapter on this topic. He points out that the distinguishing feature of Christian civilisation has been the way in which the classes possessing power have gradually granted opportunity to the originally uneducated working masses. Popular education, the franchise, better working conditions, came at first not by demand, but because the people on top had a certain humanitarian impulse, and so made a move which was new in the world's history—privilege giving up its privileges, impelled by an only half-understood moral necessity. In the awakening of public opinion the student movement has had a demonstrable share of late years.

Today the cause of social justice has its champions in plenty, and while the social emphasis in the student movement is still strong, the question of better international understanding is the one which calls out the biggest response today. The most advanced thinking and the most severe criticism of the present system are heard in two international movements, one the labor movement, the other the student Christian movement. Once again staid and settled people are alarmed; they feel that to ask for the Christiansing of international relations in going too far—in fact almost unpatriotic. But public opinion is steadily rising against the old diplomacy, the movement's advocates declare, and it is necessary that the thinking of the younger generation should be ahead of the older in order to get past the present state of things. The appearance on the program of speakers from Serbia, France, India, Japan, China, as well as America and England goes to show that student thinking in all these countries has a good deal in common on these subjects.

Y. W. C. A. Active In Hangchow District

(China Press Correspondence)

Hangchow, March 18.—This has been organisation week for the Young Women's Christian of Hangchow. The formal organisation was effected on Sunday when the wife of the most prominent physician in the city was elected to the presidency.

Tuesday was inaugural day when the various officers formally assumed office and greetings from the eight other Young Men's Christian Associations of the country were read. Mrs. T. C. Chu and Mrs. W. W. Lockwood of the National Committee of the Y. W. C. A. came from Shanghai to pronounce the blessings of the Central organisation on the young daughter which has just come into being. Misses F. J. Fan and Rosa Lee Venable brought personal greetings from the city department of the National Comimttee. Mrs. T. C. Chu gave the formal address of the occasion.

The outstanding event of the week was the attendance at one meeting of 1,000 women operatives and foremen of local factories. They attended the meeting on factory time and got their first touch with the new organisation that plans much for their welfare in the future. The factory heads have been most cordial in their welcome to the new Y. W. C. A.

Commons Asked About Radio Bonds

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 18.—In the House of Commons today Mr. J. C. Wedgwood asked whether the Foreign Office had made any representatons to the Chinese Government in respect of the default on Marconi bonds.

Mr. Cecil Harmsworth replied that the British Minister at Peking was continuing to press the Chinese Government for the payment of interest.

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Pilot Regulations In P. I. Modified

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, March 8.—More liberal pilot regulations for the Philippines have been announced by the customs authorities, who have ruled that the use of a pilot by ocean vessels making anchorage in the roadsteads of Philippine ports is henceforth optional with the master of the vessel. It has been compulsory heretofore.

Vessels entering the Pasig river at Manila will, however, be required to take on a pilot, unless the master qualifies by taking the pilot examination.

The removal of restrictions is expected to benefit many vessels touching at Manila and Iloilo, especially.

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UPHOLDS LIANG

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 17.—It is reported that President Hsu is about to issue a circular telegram with the object of demonstrating that Mr. Liang Shih-yi was innocent of the charges made against him when he assumed the Premiership.

WHARF DISPUTE

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 17.—With regard to the Amoy case the Waichiaopu has sent instructions to the Chinese Commissioner of Foreign Affairs there to come to an amicable settlement with the British Consul on the remaining outstanding points.

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Mr. Hardoon stated to the court that though he had no birth certificate he had come to Shanghai at about the age of 20 in 1874. Mr. Gande presented a vaccination certificate showing him to be 62 years of age. The age specified for exemption is 60.

MINE PARLEY

(Reuter's Service)

New York, March 18.—Anthracite coal owners and workers have agreed to establish a negotiating committee of four members aside to discuss the owners' proposals for the readjustment of wages.

Ruling Affects P. I. Mohammedans

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, March 8.—The half million Mohammedans in the Philippines were vitally affected by a recent decision of the Philippine Supreme Court, which ruled that marriages performed under Mohammedan law were valid, and that the children of such unions were legitimate.

According to the last census, there are more than 150,000 Mohammedan marriages now in force in the islands. The court recognised this fact in its decision, pointing out that if the Mohammedan ceremony were held illegal, nearly all the Moro population of the Philippines would be illegitimate.

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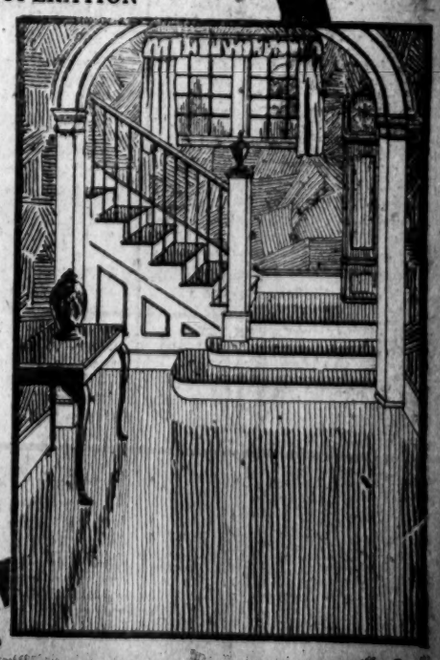

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Among those leaving for England on the s.s. Mentor are Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Muriel.

Mr. William W. Eastman, agent in China for the Western Cooperage Company, left on the Empire State for a flying business trip to San Francisco. He will return on the same vessel.

The annual meeting of the Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at 1 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.

Members of the Tsing Hua Chinese College Men's Club of Peking have formed an organisation to save portions of their salaries to help redeem the Kiao-Tsi Railway. The following were elected the committee: Mr. F. C. Wang, chairman; Mr. Stewart E. S. Yui, treasurer, and Mr. C. T. Sun, secretary. $6,900 has been pledged by the members.

M. Reau, Consul-General for France in Hongkong, is shortly proceeding on leave and will be succeeded by M. P. Kremer.

After the last car was run on March 8 the Peak Tramway was handed back to the Peak Tramways Company, Ltd. by the Hongkong Government.

A mill hands and weavers union for Pootung was organised at a meeting attended by 350 mill hands in a school on Burkill Road Sunday afternoon.

On orders of General Ho Feng-ling, Military Governor of Sung-kiang and Shanghai, twenty per-cent of the salaries of the Woo-sung and Shanghai Constabulary has been deducted and added to the Tsinan-Kiaochow Railway redemption fund.

Two sacks of mail from Hongkong for London, and one sack for Paris were destroyed when a Canadian Pacific mail car burned at Haig, British Columbia.

Dr. Hsu Un-yuen, senior councillor to the Ministry of Finance, is in Baguio, the Philippines mountain resort on a short vacation.

Fines collected from opium growers or smugglers will be used hereafter to build good roads in Canton, according to the Canton Times.

Two delegates from Szechuen are now in Canton conferring with Dr. Wu Ting-fang concerning Szechuan's participation in the Southern expedition against Peking according to the Canton Times.

Twenty delegates from Canton will leave shortly for Peking to attend the World's Christian Students' Federation meeting.

A meeting of the officers of the B. P. Scouts will be held at the Church House on Friday, the 24th inst. at 5:15 p.m. This meeting is important as the final details for the next Scout Jamboree are to be settled, and in view of this it is hoped that all officers will make a special point of being present.

At 9:46 a.m. yesterday the Central Division were called to a fire at No. 9 Peking Road. On arrival it was found that the lift motor had caught fire. The staff promptly dealt with same with some chemical extinguishers and very little was left for the Brigade to do. At 10:48 a.m., another call was received, off Tonquin Road—wood work and matsheds used for construction purposes of Chinese dwellings houses were burning. The fire was some distance off the road and several lengths of hose had to be used before the Sinza Division were able to finally extinguish the outbreak.

Among passengers leaving for Hankow by the steamer Kutwo last night was General Sir Charles Kavanagh and the Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Littell.

A set of wireless apparatus has been installed by the Tuchun of Fengtien, Chang Tso-lin and his yamen, according to the China Evening Post. Chang has purchased the set from Andersen, Meyer and Co. of Tientsin.

The Da Tong News Bureau reports that General Wu Pei-fu has requested Tuchun Tsao Kun of Chihli to ask military aid from Tuchun Chi Shih-yuan of Kiangsu and General Ma Lien-chai of Anhui for defense work in Kiangsi.

A statement has been given out by Chung Shih-ming, the Acting Minister of Finance, to the effect that since the Chinese banks have refused to advance money for the administration, the financial situation has reached an insolvent state and he has no alternative but to resign from the present post without waiting for the appointment of a successor.

President Hsu's repeated telegrams to General Lu Yung-hsian of Chekiang and General Li Hou-chi of Fukien have been ignored. As a last effort to ascertain their attitude, the chief executive has sent them personal messages asking their views on the Southern situation directly.

The formal opening of the Memorial Temple erected in honor of ex-Tuchun Yang Shan-teh of Chekiang at Chientangmen, Hangchow, will take place on April 3. Hundreds of prominent officials and merchants of Chekiang have been invited to attend the ceremony.

A Presidential mandate under date of March 18 appointed Lr. C. C. Wang acting director-general of the Chinese Eastern Railway as a result of the refusal of Mr. Wang Nai-ping to assume the directorship.

The First Class Medal of Benevolence was awarded to Mrs. S. A. Hardoon of Shanghai by a Presidential Mandate on March 18 in recognition of her philanthropic efforts. A mandate under the same date conferred the Second Class Chiaho on Mr. Kam Chiu-nan, of Nanyang Bros. Tobacco Co., Ltd.

Tuchun Tien Chung-yu of Shantung arrived in Peking on Sunday to answer to charges of illegal increase of taxes in his province.

Twelve years' imprisonment was the sentence meted out to Chen Ping-sun, president of the Canton Sailors' Union, charged with the murder of his wife. The accused has appealed from the decision, which was handed down last Saturday by the Canton local Criminal Court, according to a Canton telegram.

The Chinese Bar Association of Shanghai met on Sunday and elected officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Chang Yi-pang, former Vice-Minister of Justice, was elected president and Mr. Chang Chia-tseng, vice-president.

The building of the former Portuguese Consulate has been selected by the Commission on the Tariff Revision for their headquarters. The first meeting will take place on April 1.

All employes of the Kiangnan Dock drawing salaries of more than $40 will subscribe one month's salary towards the fund for the redemption of the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway, according to an announcement made by the director, Mr. Hsia.

After spending the week-end in Hangchow where he consulted Tuchun Lu Yung-hsiang, Dr. C. T. Wang, director-general of Shantung Rehabilitation, left for Peking yesterday.

A week's leave of absence has been secured by Dr. W. W. Yen, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Acting Premier. He stated in his petition that he is indisposed.

More than $420,000 was taken by Wu Pei-fu from the treasury of the Peking-Hankow Railway during the month of January, according to the official reports of the line.

The German Minister to Peking will leave the capital shortly and make a tour through Mukden, Hankow, Changsha, Nanking, Shanghai and Hangchow to investigate the local conditions.

The Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce has sanctioned the application of the Lu Tah Company for its establishment and exploitation of the industrial enterprises of Shantung. The company is organised by former Premier Chin Yung-peng, former Acting Minister of Finance Pan Fu and other prominent Shantung men.

Mr. Paul Myron Linebarger and family are sailing today on the City of Simla for Marseilles, France. Mrs. Linebarger and the two little boys will sojourn indefinitely on the French Riviera for the recuperation of Mrs. Linebarger's health. Mr. Linebarger after settling his family in France will return to Shanghai in about four months.

A shroff formerly employed in the Public Works Department was sentenced to a year's imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday for forging the name of Mr. G. Curry, an inspector in the Department, to two orders for goods totaling in value $182. The shroff had been dismissed from the Municipal service for theft of wood about a month ago.

Mr. Brodie A. Clarke, of Messrs. Hopkins, Dunn and Company, is sailing today by the steamer City of Simla for a visit to England.

A notice to mariners informs that a junk with a cargo of granite blocks lies sunk in 30 feet of water, L.W.S., in the fairway off Muluchiao Explosives Magazine. Her position is approximately mid-channel about 100 feet below the Muluchiao jetty. A boat exhibiting a red flag by day and red light over a white light by night, marks the wreck, over which there is 19 feet of water, L.W.S.

The China Merchants Bank, Ltd., of Hongkong will open their new Shanghai branch at 10 Ningpo Road tomorrow, when a reception will be held.

Charged with making a false declaration to secure a passport from the Chinese Bureau of Foreign Affairs, a Russian woman named Ekaterina Lintokoff was fined $50.00 in the Mexed Court yesterday. It was alleged that she posed as the wife of an Armenian, Astrazatour Handzian, 19 Nanzing Road, being photographed with him and presenting the photograph to the passport department. The Armenian failed to appear in Court and his bail, $100, was ordered forfeited. The woman declared that her part in the deception was carried out under threats from the male accused.

BONUS BILL

(Special To The China Press)

Washington, March 17.—Representative Fordney filed the majority report on the Bonus Bill which will carry according to his estimate $4,097,319,350.

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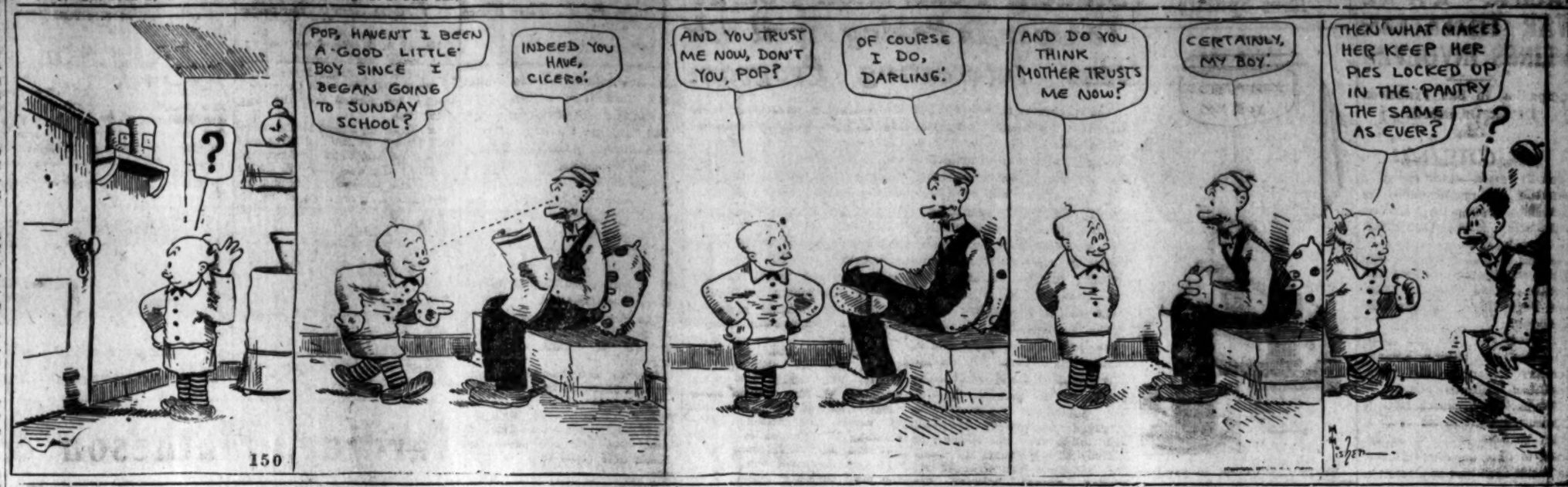
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Teachers Unpaid In Philippines

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, March 8.—Teachers in the Philippine public schools and many officials have been unpaid since January 1, and face the prospect of going without pay unless the Government diverts other funds for this purpose, or succeeds in floating some of the bond issues which were authorised by the last legislature.

Work on public improvements is also virtually at a standstill for the same reason.

SMALLPOX SCARE

(Special To The China Press)

San Salvador, March 17.—A serious epidemic of smallpox is sweeping the Costa Rica. Upwards of 22,000 cases have been reported.

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China Press Sports

Boxing Tourney Promises Shanghai Versus Carlisle

Untutored Pugs And Others To Try Again Against The Carlisle

The untutored pugs of Shanghai will have their chance soon against the boxing intelligentsia of the city and the fighters from the British ship Carlisle will have their opportunity to stage a comeback after their collective defeat at the hands of local mit artists if plans now afoot carry through. The proletariat fighters have long longed for a chance to meet the men who learned under experi teaching; the Carlisle men have been chafing for almost a year under the defeat of their best boxers, by members of the local boxing club in the last tournament in May, 1921.

Mr. G. H. Parkes is issuing a call for all local fighters to gather round for a tournament with the men of the Carlisle, which has just arrived fresh from a successful boxing tournament at Hongkong in which sailors from the half dozen or more British ships there participated.

The call recalls the last meeting of the fighters of the local Boxing Club, and the men of the Carlisle. In that two-day meet, the local boxers took nearly every bout on the card. Eddie Siemssen knocked out Seaman March in one of the semi-finals; Wilson of the local club got the decision over Seaman York in spite of the latter's hard work; and Carlson, Johannson, and others of the local club scored wins over the naval men.

Drummner Hew, a 90 pounder from the warship was the best man in the tournament at his weight. He mixed with Bob Perry of the local Boxing Club for 6 rounds and won a popular decision.

Seaman Bowdidge who was proclaimed as middleweight champion of the British Mediterranean fleet 1919-1920 refused to go on with Shanghai's best middleweight, R. B. Martin at the last tournament here. He won a decision however in the recent tourney at Hongkong over Groves of the Hawkins, at 156 lbs., so it is expected that he is now fit to go into a good fight here.

The Carlisle has a number of other good men, including Stoker Thorne, who lost to Carlson here a year ago through a lack of training as a boxer; Seaman York, who lost the decision against Wilson of the local club must have improved considerably in the last few months and should be able now to give our best the fight of their lives. The other sailors on the boat must likewise have come up since, after the last tourney here. Officers aboard the Carlisle then declared that especial attention must be given to instruction in boxing.

As for the untutored boxers of the city: A defi issued last July from the untrained men to the members of the Shanghai Boxing Club was promptly taken up by Boxing Instructor G. H. Parkes of the local club but nothing ever came of it. Mr. Parkes is now advertising for pugs, tutored and untutored to gather round the Shanghai colors for a tournament against the Carlisle men. It is quite probable that a better gathering of local men will get together to meet the navy men than a year ago, and it is possible that the Carlisle men after their defeat a year ago have taken to training and study of the game, and may break even or better on any tourney arranged.

Chinese Boxer Loses At Manila

Manila, March 5.—Pete Sarmiento, aspirant for the bantamweight title easily defeated Georgie Lee the Chinese boxer, in the 15 round main event at the Olympic Stadium last night before a big crowd of boxing fans. Sarmiento gave Lee a beating, the equal of it not worse than that given the Chinaman by Pancho Villa several weeks ago. In his fight last night Sarmiento showed that he is now in line to fight Pancho Villa for the bantamweight title.

Lee never hand a look-in. For the first ten rounds he served as a punching bag taking everything that Pete had to offer.

Davies Cup Second Round Announced

(Reuter's Service)

New York, March 17.—In the second round of the Davis Cup lawn tennis competition, the British Isles will meet the winner of the match between Japan and Italy and Denmark will play the winner of the match between France and Canada.

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Complications manufactured themselves and he developed ponds and lakes on the brain.

Sponges and blotting paper proved of no avail and he kicked cold the next day happy under the delusion that he was a worm whose self-determination had been acknowledged by the early birds.

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When he was chased into the ring by composite posses, he had low-life insurance on his relatives.

He had marine insurance on his courage as it was tested and found to be ninety percent water, like a potato.

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And last, but not fewest, he had plate glass insurance on his jaw.

Chefoo School Beats Town XI

(China Press Correspondence)

Chefoo, March 11.—The third football much of the term between the Settlement and the School took place this afternoon. The School scored in the first half the only goal of the match, Vale notching the point as the outcome of a very fine piece of individual play. The gentlemen from the Settlement tried hard to equalise before half time but they could not break the sterling defence put up by the boys.

DUNDEE GETS DECISION

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

New York, March 18.—Johnny Dundee was given the decision over Charlie White in a 15-roumd bout here last night.

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Want First Rounds On European Courts

(Reuter's Service)

New York, March 19.—In order to extend the interest in lawn tennis, the American Executive Committee recommends that the preliminary rounds of the Davis Cup competition should be played as far as possible in Europe.

KOBE YACHT CLUB

Kobe, March 16.—At the annual general meeting of the Kobe Sailing Club held here yesterday, the following officers were elected: Mr. W. L. Foggitt, Commodore; Mr. J. S. McIhuish, vice-commodore; and Messrs. Colton, Howe, Ellerton, A. Hill and Jordan members of the committee.

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ST. JOHNS AND NANYANG BEAT NANKING FIVE

Nanking university lost two basketball matches in the East China competition, over the week end, one to St. Johns on Saturday at 64-10, and another last evening to Nanyang, 35-17. The game against St. Johns was a walkover, but the match with Nanyang, in the first half at least was fairly evenly divided. St. Johns tomorrow meets Shanghai College.

In the game last night the score at half time was Nanyang 10, Nanking 9. In the second period the Nanyang men ran away with the game, piling up 25 points as compared with Nanking's 8. The summary for the game follows:

Nanyang 35		Nanking 17
K. C. Shen	C.	Y. H. Chen
K. G. Chen	RF.	T. W. Wu
K. Chen	LF.	S. H. Tsu
C. Y. Huang	RG.	Y. P. Lao
G. Chow	LG.	S. W. Tsu

Goals from floor—Shen 7, Y. S. Chen 7, T. W. Wu '4, S. H. Tsu 2, K. Chen 2. Goals from fouls—T. S. Wu 3, K. Y. Chen 2, Shen 1. Referee—Mr. T. T. Zee.

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First Round Of Tennis At Hongkong

Hongkong, March 2.—Yesterday afternoon saw the opening of the annual tennis tournament of the Hongkong Cricket Club, when several matches in the various competitions were played off. The ground was in fine condition, and the weather was favorable, but in spite of this several competitions failed to turn out for their matches, and their opponents were given "walk-over" in consequence.

Lieut. A. S. Lindsell scored an easy win over E. L. Leader in the Club Championships by 6-3, 6-0, 6-2.

Sandberg failed to turn up, and C. C. Stark received a walk-over in their match.

In the handicap 'B' E. L. Leader (scr.) beat G. H. Piercy (rec. 4-6) by 7-5, 6-1.

H. D. Rumjahn and A. H. Rumjahn walked-over into the second round of the Doubles Championship, owing to the absence of D. C. Sandberg and E. Trambitzby.

L. Nelson received a walk-over in the open Singles Championship from Sandberg.

CHALLENGE ROUNDS DOOME

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, March 18.—The Congress of the International Lawn Tennis Federation has passed a resolution abolishing the system of challenge rounds in world championships.

England Defeats Scotland At Rugby 11 Pts. To 5

Brilliant Last Minute Play Gives Win To English Team

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 18.—England beat Scotland by 11 points to 5 in a rugby football match today at Twickenham.

The match was played in sunny weather on a splendid ground. The spectators were estimated to number 30,000 and included the King, who received a tremendous reception. Both teams were presented to His Majesty.

The Scottish forwards soon settled down to smart scrum work and the Scottish halves served the three-quarters excellently, but the latter's well-timed movements met with a determined defence. After twenty-five minutes, Dykes, the Scottish half-back, gathered the ball on the run and scrumbled over for a try which Bertram converted. At the interval the score stood as follows:

Scotland..... 5 points.
England..... nil.

On the resumption of play, after a Scottish invasion had been brilliantly relieved by Smallwood, the Englishmen made a sudden sensational rally, resulting in Lowe scoring a try which, however, was not converted. Three minutes later a good movement by the English three-quarters ended in Lowe getting another try which Conway converted.

England played up brilliantly and at the last minute Davies got clean away from the scrum and scored the best try of the match, but failed to convert.

ASSOCIATION GAMES

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 18.—Association Football:

League First Division

Liverpool 0, Bolton 2.
Burnley 1, Cardiff 1.
Aston Villa 2, Arsenal 0.
Tottenham 1, Huddersfield 0.

League Second Division

Barnsley 2, Stoke 2.
Notts Forest 4, Bradford 1.
Port Vale 1, Wednesday 0.

CAMBRIDGE AND OXFORD TO ROW ON APRIL FIRST

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 18.—There is every indication that the Oxford and Cambridge boat race on April 1 will be contested by crews above the average.

Oxford began practice on March 15 when, in the afternoon, they accomplished the record performance of rowing from Hammersmith Bridge to Chiswick, in favorable conditions, in 3 minutes and 47 seconds, thus beating the previous best established by Cambridge in 1899 by 9½ seconds.

On Thursday Oxford rowed the full course in 19 minutes and 3 seconds.

Cambridge, who are about 7 lbs. per man heavier than their opponents, made their first appearance at Putney on Thursday and yesterday rowed the full course in 19 minutes and 5 seconds.

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Dr. W. Crawford Addresses Students On Wonders And The Beauties Of Szechuen

Interesting Account Of China's Richest Province Is Given By Speaker Before Shanghai Institute Of Commerce

The students of the Shanghai Institute of Commerce, Range Road, recently heard a very interesting address on Szechuen, China's largest province, given by Dr. W. Crawford of the Canadian Methodist Mission of West China.

Dr. Crawford explained the name of "Szechuen" as meaning the four rivers that flowed and intersected one another to the shape of the two Chinese characters, "Sze" and "Chuen." The square of "Sze" enclosing two river branches could, he said, be seen from the top of the O Mei Mountain, while the three lines of "Chuen" could be traced from the city of Kiatingfu.

He spoke of the province as the richest and most beautiful of all in China. Mineral deposits of all kinds, he said, were to be found in Szechuen, not the least among which was antimony which had been so much in demand during the world war.

"The most beautiful scenery in the world," said Dr. Crawford, "is said to be found in the Yangtsze gorges." He considered that the Chinese people should be proud of their own country for producing such a province.

He next enumerated the three cities of Chungking, Chengtu, Tzulutsing as the most important and in Szechuen. Chungking was the commercial center of the province; Chengtu had been originally a political center, but the seat of government had now shifted to Chungking because, Dr. Crawford said, the Governor of the province saw the hard fact that a government could only function where there was money! In spite of this, the city of Chengtu would still remain an important center, for men from every direction would continue to flock to the capital for education in the schools and in the university there. Thus Chengtu was an important educational center. Dr. Crawford remarked that he would not be surprised if Chungking should became the permanent seat of the provincial government in future.

"When there is war," said he, "the first thing that every military commander seeks to gain is the city of Tzulutsing; for, once he has this city, he has to his account no less than a million dollars per month with which he could bid defiance to his enemies." This supply of money flows from the salt wells; and all that the military commander had to do was just to demand the revenue receipts from the collecting Salt Gabelle which could do no better than hand them over. Thus Tzulutsing was the financial center of the Province.

He highly praised the achievement of the original Chinese engineer who, several hundred years ago, had conceived and accomplished what was called "the Kuan Hsien Irrigation System." The river originally struck against a rock which turned its course at right angles and diverted its water from the fields of Chengtu. This engineer conceived a plan to cut this rock and divided the river into two branches one flowing in its old course, and the other watering the Chengtu plain. This latter was further subdivided into small streamlets which had so successfully supplied water to the rice crops that no famine had been known in that part ever since. He said that the people had erected a tablet to the memory of this engineer whom every foreigner who visited Chengtu would regard with the most profound reverence.

He then dealt with the export of salt, silk, medicines, and pig's bristles from Szechuen and said that there was a splendid field with abundant opportunity for the young men of China to develop the trade and industries of their most wealthy province. He pointed out that large quantities of Chinese medicines were yearly exported to foreign countries to be made into tablets and essences and re-imported into China to be sold as "foreign" medicines. Likewise, pig's bristles were shipped to foreign lands and re-imported into China in the form of foreign-made brushes. He said that the Chinese people could take the manufacture of these articles into their own hands. J. D. Chang and Co., the Shanghai Dispensary, had, according to Dr. Crawford, done some work on this line and produced medicines which they, in west China, were glad to use.

In regard to the conditions of transportation in Szechuen, Dr. Crawford believed that steamer-traffic would soon link the city of Chengtu with the commercial points on the lower part of the Yangtsze. He reckoned that there would be no less than twenty-seven steamers running between Ichang and Chungking while some more would ply the upper parts of the Yangtsze when the river should rise again to its height this year. The completion of the long-interrupted railway would, he felt sure, greatly increase the importance of the province.

OIL CONTROVERSY

(Reuter's Service)

Allahabad, March 19.—A telegram from Teheran states that having learned that the £200,000 advance recently received from Washington is not an unconditional loan and connected with oil royalities, and believing that it indicates an understanding between the Anglo-Persian Oil Company and the Standard Oil Company, the Government is unwilling to accept the money and is attempting to pay it back.

This is not likely to be successful and a cabinet crisis appears to be imminent.

TO JOIN ENTENTE

(Chung Mei Service)

Warsaw, March 15.—Poland announces that as a result of the Belgrade conference she will join the little entente. Thus the four states of which it is made up will present a common front at the Genoa Conference.

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Mr. R. B. Mauchan, superintendent engineer of the Kiangwan Dock and Engineering Company, with Mrs. Mauchan, is leaving Saturday for a vacation at home. They will be entertained today at dinner by the directors of the company.

Mr. Mauchan is the engineer who was chiefly responsible for Shanghai receiving the contract for the construction of the four big Shipping Board boats for the American Government during the war period. He is one of the pioneer shipbuilders of China.

A dinner at which 125 persons were present was given to Mr. and Mrs. Mauchan Sunday evening by the office and workshop staff of the Kiangwan Dock and Engineering Company. Mr. Harry Y. Liang spoke on behalf of the office staff, and Mr. Yu wished him a good voyage from the shop foremen. Mr. Mauchan replied recalling the record year of 1921 for the company mentioning in particular the hearty co-operation between the Chinese and the foreign staffs.

Mr. Mauchan leaves on Saturday on his first vacation in 22 years.

BYE ELECTIONS

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 18.—The following are the results of the Inverness by-election:—

	votes
Sir Murdoch Macdonald (Co. Lib)	8340
Mr. Livingstone (Ind. Lib.)	8024

There has been no change.

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46941 M 22

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2954.

ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS.

In accordance with Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, we, the undersigned scrutineers duly appointed by the Council, hereby declare that the following nine Ratepayers polled the greatest number of votes at the election held on March 16 and 17, and are therefore declared to have been duly elected as the Council for the Foreign Community of Shanghai for the year 1922/23:

S. SAKURAGI	628
H. G. SIMMS	594
H. H. GIRARDET	589
A. B. LOWSON	532
W. P. LAMBE	530
V. G. LYMAN	499
H. W. LESTER	479
G. N. WILSON	325
B. FESSENDEN	273

Total number of votes 752 and 8 irregular votes.

C. G. S. MACKIE,
E. C. PEARCE,
Scrutineers.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Assistant Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1922.

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Municipal Notification

No. 2955.

Public School for Chinese.

The Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of a Chinese Teacher of English at the Public School for Chinese.

Candidates who have been educated in England or America will be given preference. The selected candidate should be able to speak good English, and should be prepared to teach mathematics and general English subjects. Pay according to qualifications.

Applications should state qualifications and should be forwarded, together with copies of diplomas, certificates and testimonials, etc. to the Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads

By Order,
N. O. LINDELL.
Secretary & Commissioner General.

COUNCIL ROOM,
Shanghai, March 21, 1922.

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Shanghai Paper Hunt Club

NOTICE

Members are reminded that the country is now closed for cross Country Riding.

The attention of members is directed to the notice posted in the Grand Stand regarding measures which the stewards will take against offenders.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary
Shanghai Paper Hunt Club.

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NOTICE

The public is hereby informed the M. J. HORCHNER is, from this date, no longer connected with our Bank.

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No. 2 of 1922

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The wreck, over which there is 19 feet of water L. W. S., is marked by a boat exhibiting by day a red flag and, by night, a red light over a white light.

H. G. MYHRE,
Harbour Master.

Approved:
E. GORDON LOWDER,
Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOM HOUSE,
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2nd EXTRA RACE MEETING, 1st April.
3rd EXTRA RACE MEETING, 8th April.

Programmes and Entry-Forms for the above Extra Race Meetings, have been published.

Entries will close at the Grand Stand at 7 p.m. on Thursday, 23rd March, 1922.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.

SHANGHAI RACE CLUB.
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NOTICE

The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has returned from a trip abroad and resumed charge of the Chin Woo Mutual Trading Corporation from March 21, 1922.

S. S. CHOW.

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The s.s. ELKTON from New York—This vessel is now discharging all her cargo (except Opium and Munitions of War) at the Robert Dollar Pai Lien Chien Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their representatives to the wharf to verify the weights of such cargo whilst it is being landed. All claims against this vessel must be sent in within 10 days from date of vessel's arrival or they will not be recognized. All risks of fire at wharf and godowns to be borne by the consignees of cargo.

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Hankow and Ports

The Hoong On S. S. Co's Steamer Chang On, Capt. Warild, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund Nantao, on Tuesday, the 21st March, at about 12 o'clock (midnight) (Cabins fitted with steam heater.) Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, $40 single and $60 return For Freight or Passage apply to office of the Company No. 1B Hankow Road, Telephones Freight 1520 and Passage 3283.

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FOR THE KAIYOSHA COMPANY.
(Signed) S. MIYATA,
Managing Director.

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The s.s. "Canadian Winner" has arrived and is discharging all her cargo overside at the P. & O. Lower Buoy.

All General Cargo is being placed in Lighters and will be landed at the China Merchants' Central Wharf, subject to the usual terms and conditions in force at the China Merchants' Wharves.

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S.S. Elkton from New York

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship damaged cargo ex s.s. ELKTON, will be held at the Robert Dollar Wharf, on Friday, March 24th, at 9.30 a.m. when Messrs. Eisler & Reeves, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

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Business and Official Notices

Change of Address

On and after Saturday, March 18, our offices will be removed from 9 Hankow Road to 6B Kiangse Road.

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Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.

(Registered under the Hongkong Ordinances.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Twelfth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the Head Office, No. 10 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, the 21st day of March, 1922, at 4.30 p.m. for presentation of the Report of the Directors and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1921, and the transaction of the ordinary business of the Company.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 16th March, 1922 to 21st March, 1922, both days inclusive.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the same place as soon as the above-mentioned General Meeting shall have been concluded for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the subjoined extraordinary resolution. Should the said resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a second extraordinary meeting to be held at the same place at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 6th day of April, 1922.

RESOLUTION.

That the following article shall be substituted for Article 79(a) of the Company's Articles of Association, namely:

"If he accepts or holds any other office under the Company except that of Managing Director, Membership alone or in partnership with others of a firm which holds under the Company the office of Secretaries or General Managers to the Company shall not cause the office of a Director to be vacated."

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. A. WATTIE & CO., LTD.,
Secretaries & General Managers.

Shanghai, 3rd March, 1922.

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MASONIC CLUB

An "At Home" will be held on Saturday, March 25th, at 9:00 p.m.

Members wishing to subscribe should send their names to the undersigned as early as possible.

C. MATTHEWS,
Secretary.

46710

The business meeting of the Frederick Ward Post, American Legion has been postponed until Thursday, March 23, at 8:30 p.m., at the American Club. All American veterans of the great war are urged to be present.

W. I. EISLER,
Post Commander.

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Kulangsu Municipal Council

AMOY, CHINA.

THE KULANGSU MUNICIPAL COUNCIL is prepared to receive applications for the post of ASSISTANT to the SECRETARY.

Candidates must have a knowledge of Book-keeping, and a knowledge of Police work would be a recommendation.

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Applications should state age, qualifications, and should be forwarded, together with copies of references or testimonials, to the undersigned, from whom full particulars of the conditions of service can be obtained.

By order,
H. G. REED,
Secretary & Capt.-Supt. of Police.

Board Room, Kulangsu,
Amoy, 24th February, 1922.

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Will Sell by Public Auction in the CHINESE COMMERCIAL STOCK EXCHANGE, No. 6-8 The French Bund, on the 27th March at 10.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.

The following furniture and office materials:

Teakwood roll-top desks, writing desks, office chairs, letter files, counter tables, stools, dining table, book cases, pictures, clocks, table clocks, electric lamp, ceiling fans and desk fans, HERRING-HALL AMERICAN SAFES, stationery, and all kinds of high class furnitures and fittings.

On view on the 25th and 26th.

R. Fano, L. Basset, J. Thesmar,
Commissaires-priseurs.

No. 4 French Bund, Shanghai.

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AUCTION

MESSRS. R. FANO, L. BASSET, J. THESMAR,

Commissaires-priseurs, acting on behalf of Mr. H. E. Journe, Liquidator, and by decision of the French Mixed Court, dated 21st February 1922

Will sell by Public Auction in the BOURSE DU VIN DU TOBACCO STOCK EXCHANGE, No. 100-102, Rue du Consulat on the 23rd March 1922.

The following furniture and office materials: Writing desks, office chairs, letter files, counter tables, stools, book cases, pictures, clocks, tableclocks, electric lamps, ceiling fans, HERRING-HALL AMERICAN LARGE SAFES WITH DOUBLE DOORS and small safes and all kinds of high class furnitures and fittings.

On view on the 21st and 22nd March 1922.

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Will the Doctor who advertised in the A.M.A. Journal January 14th for Surgical Assistant please communicate with Captain James W. Duckworth, Fort McKinley, P.I.

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The Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Company, Limited, will be held in the Board Room of the General Managers', Messrs. Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd., 6 Kiukiang Road, on Friday, the 24th day of March, 1922, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 21st March to the 24th day of March, 1922, both days inclusive.

Proxies to be valid must be lodged at the Company's Offices not less than 48 hours before the time of holding the Meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
The Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.,
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NOTICE

Prof. I. K. Seto and Madam Fumi Seto, expert Japanese masseurs be to announce that they have removed to Woochang Road, Shiu Kong Lee, F57. Give treatment at the above address or your residence. Telephone N. 3253.

The Shanghai Land Investmen Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 2 Jinkee Road, on Thursday, the 23rd day of March, 1922, at 11.30 a.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 14th to the 23rd day of March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. LD.
Agents.

Shanghai, March 6, 1922.

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Chung Foo Union Bank Building

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FOOCHOW

The San Peh Co.'s Steamer "Ning Shin," Capt. Augestad, will leave from the Ning Shao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Tuesday, the 21st March, at about 6 p.m. This Steamer has extra large cabins with all the conveniences of a mail Steamer, with observation saloons fore and aft. Excellent service and cuisine. Passage fare, Shanghai to Foochow, single $30 and return $48. For Freight or Passage, apply to the office of the Company, No. 1B Hankow Road. Telephones: Freight C. 1520, Passage C. 3283.

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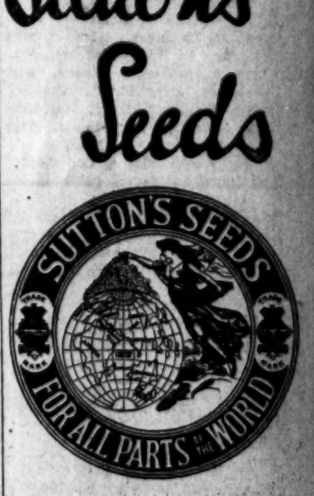

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T. TSENG, Manager.

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Havana and 22 branches	Venezuela
	Caracas

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund	$3,534,600.00
Special Reserve Fund	$3,534,600.00

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

Sung Han-chang.
Manager.

Kincheng Banking Corporation

金城銀行

Sanctioned by Ministry of Finance and registered in Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce in accordance with Banking and Company Laws.

Authorised Capital	$5,000,000
Paid-up Capital	$4,500,000
Surplus	$ 300,000

Head Office: Tientsin
Branches and Sub-Branches: Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Nanking and Peng-pu.
Correspondents in all important places of the world.
President: Chow Tso Ming.
Manager, Shanghai Branch: S. Y. Tien.
Sub-Manager, Shanghai Branch: C. C. Woo.
Every description of Banking Business transacted.
Savings Accounts kept in Tientsin and Shanghai Offices.
Cable Address, "Kincheng"
Shanghai
Tel. Nos:
General Office: C. 5095
Managers Office: 1389
Foreign Dept. C. 5465.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 18,979,250 (about £1,581,604)
Special Reserve: Guilders 12,660,000 (about £1,888,333)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Samarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current taal accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Acting Manager.

東亞銀行 The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorized Capital ..	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$ 5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund	$200,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd

Established 1908

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$133,310.00
Undivided Profits ..	$120,751.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Hankow and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA'S principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Koke, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Depisits according to arrangements.
Saving Accounts at 4% compound interest.
Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
U39 Peking Road.
Tel. C. 3145, Manager's Office
C. 2147, General Office
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000

Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud, Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano, Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Baie
Len & Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit Central Liegeois.
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Banksinit.
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kinkiang Rd.
Tel. Offices: Central 5090 & 5091.
Managers' Office, Central 5094.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1919
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 180,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Huchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
		Cincinnati	

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8 441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars and other currencies according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road

Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$400,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.

Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China

Foreign Correspondents:

London	New York	Yokohama
Paris	Chicago	Tokyo
Marseilles	Seattle	Osaka
Amsterdam	San Francisco	Manila
Berlin	Singapore	

Cable Address:
"COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

Authorized Capital: $20,000,000
Paid-up $5,000,000

中南銀行

CHINA & SOUTH SEA BANK, LTD.

4 Hankow Road, Shanghai.

Every kind of banking business transacted. Agents and correspondents all over the world.

Telegraphic Address: Chinasosea

Tel. Nos. { Managing Director: C. 6324 / Foreign Exchange: C. 3099

Y. Hou,
Managing Director.

FAR EASTERN BANK

Capital Authorised ..... Ldt. 50,000,000.—
Capital Paid up ..... Ldt. 12,500,000.—

HEAD OFFICE
36, Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

BANKERS
London Joint City & Midland Bank; London, England.
Banca dell'Italia Meridionale; Naples, Milan, Bari, Genoa, Palermo, Pozzuoli. Italy.
Deutsche Bank; Hamburg, Germany.
East River National Bank, New York, U. S. A.
Bank of Italy, San Francisco, Cal., U. S. A.
The Dai-Ichi Ginko, Ltd., Tokyo, Yokohama, Japan.

BRANCHES
Canton—Tientsin—Tsingtao.
SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on current accounts, savings accounts and fixed deposits in all currencies according to arrangement.

Local bills discounted. Cable transfers bought and sold. Drafts issued and telegraphic transfers effected all over the World.

SPECIAL FACILITIES for Italian business and Exchange, for Gold exchange and for Chinese Stock Exchange transactions.

Viscount di Villa & Mr. W. S. T. Nien,
Managing Directors.

TELEPHONE:—C. 3437 Managers
C. 6678 T. T. and Exchange
C. 2082 General Office
C. 494 Chinese Department.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

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Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ..	$2,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$500,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai.
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Manager's Office: Cen. 2813
General Office: Cen. 2812 & 2814
Branches
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe Osaka, Berlin and Hamburg.
Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.
Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
Savings accounts—4% per annum.
Every description of banking business transacted.
Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.
Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
Shu Chin Min, Sub-Manager.
Y. S. Tung, Sub-Manager.
K. Z. Tsoh, P. P. Manager.

THE SHANGHAI INDUSTRIAL BANKING CORPORATION
Head Office: SHANGHAI
Branch: 17 & 18 Kiukiang Road.
Capital $1,000,000
Paid-up ..... $ 250,000
Fixed Deposit Capital .. $ 500,000
Domestic Agencies
In principal commercial centres in China.
Foreign Correspondence
In all important places of the world.
General Banking Business of every description transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Savings Accounts at 5% compound interest.
Special Savings Accounts for Laborers.
ROBERT LEE, General Manager.
K. L. SUNG, Manager.
S. Y. FONG, Sub-Manager.
Cable Address: "BANKINDCO"
Tel. C. 6401, Manager's Office.
C. 6415, Foreign Dept.
C. 6414, General Office.

Mrs. K. Kerby, Mr. M. Kohts, Messrs. W. S. Kraemer, S. C. Lane, E. Lanyer, S. Mayeyama, Misses J. Mallison, C. Mose, Dr and Mrs. Manaham, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Parker, Messrs. K. Oriuchi, H. M. Pitt, A. C. Runyon, T. Sekito, T. Sekiya, Miss M. Sproul, Mrs. A. L. Strong, Mrs. H. W. Struben, Misses M. Tracey, J. Wolcott, H. B. Wright, messrs. K. Tanabashi, Yataku, W. C. Zilbach; for Hongkong: Messrs. G. S. Armsby, R. I. Burwell, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Backmann, Miss J. Bresluer, Messrs. F. Carolan, , F. P. Case, Dr. C. B. Davis; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Edge, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Evans, Mrs. W. D. K. Gibson, Mrs. I. Hanna Mr. and Mrs. E. Hilton, Miss K. D. Hubbard, Capt. W. E. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Loomis, Messrs. J. L. Milligan, N. H. Pettit, J. Powell, A. Schofield, A. Weill, Miss J. S. Smith, Mrs. E. C. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace, Mrs. E. Weatherby.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung from Hankow: Mr. D. Ferguson, Mrs. D. C. Brook, Mrs. Cartledge, Miss Macom.

Per Glen Line s.s. Glenogle from London: Mr. F. W. M. Selby, Mrs. E. H. Mayhew, Mr. H. Bridges, Mrs. E. Birdges, Mrs D. D. Huntington, Messrs. C. B. B. Clark, J. W. D. Andrews, Mrs. A. E. Andrews.

Per M.M. s.s. Cordilliere from Marseilles: Mr. and Mrs. Beruyer, Miss Couchot, Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Littell and four children, Messrs. S. S. Chaud, Mannier, Bouinais, Th. Culty, Mr. and Mrs. Klepper, and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Lion, Mr. and Mrs. Bedume, Mr. and Mrs. Lecombe, Messrs. Dunciot, J. Schmitt, E. Wurstev, Metano, Medard, Bug. Amvils, Guninets, Mr. and Mrs. Epilstisux and child, Mr. and Mrs. Kullgren and child, Mr. and Mrs. Ash and three children; from Saigon: Mr. Jaopen; from Hongkong: Mr. Via Steensby, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Davies and child.

Per C. N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Miss M. Schulty.

Per C. N. s.s. Shantung from Hongkong: Messrs. Huish, M. S. Ingers.

Per C. N. s.ss. Shuntien from Tientsin: Mr. Tselaberry.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckow from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Clarke, Capt. J. Miclo, Mrrs. O. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ward and two children, Messrs. C. W. Stocks, C. W. Stocks, O. Lammert, T. M. Wilson; from Wuhu: and Mrs. A. B. Lester and four children.

Per T. K. K. s.s. Taiyo Marru from San Francisco: Mrs. N. V. Achesoh, Mrs E. E. and Miss L. S. Albrecht, Misses F. A. Angell, H. L. Aulapp, R. Bellow, M. I. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rev. D. Bunn Miss J. EE. and Master D. R. Bunn, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Burton, Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Bowen, Messrs. M. B. Baron, Messrs. M. B. Baron, H. Bekkers, J. L. Calder, Mrs. and mrs. T. B. Curtis, Messrs. H. E. Easton, H. Easkeland, Miss B. Peickert, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fiecher, Messrs. M. Gowomh, T. W. Greenway, Miss H. Harber, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hansen, Mrrs. J. L. Ho,

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage only on board the Ellerman Line s.s. City of Simla, for Marseilles and London will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru, for Tsingtao and Dairen will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 p.m.

Rum Runners In Revolver Fight

(China Press Service)

New York, March 17.—Revenue agents arrested 24 men after a pistol battle in which there were no casualties. The men were aboard a schooner in the East River which the police found was loaded with half a million dollars worth of liquor.

NOTED AMERICAN BANKER, HERE ON TRIP, OPTIMISTIC

E. S. Webster Thinks U. S. Business Has "Turned Corner"

(Chung Mei News Agency)

Peking, March 17.—Mr. Edwin S. Webster, senior member of the noted American banking firm of Stone and Webster, said in an address before the American Association luncheon today, that, according to the latest information at hand, business in America had rounded the turn and was due for a steady improvement. The firm of Stone and Webster is one of the largest engineering and banking houses in the United States if not in the world and has the widest possible contact with the various business activities in the United States.

Mr. Webster stated that, contrary to the general impression, the Eastern part of America now has the best investment market ever known and that good securities have steadily risen in value, thus presaging a general recovery of industrial activity. This improvement however will probably be gradual and there are no signs of a boom for some time to come. Time loans have dropped from nine to six percent and good bonds have risen in some cases 30 points.

The liquidation period through which the United States has been going ever since the summer of 1920, said Mr. Webster, appears to have been completed in the East. Chicago which represents the Middle West, seems to be about nine months behind the East and the West coast still further behind, while Japan has not yet begun to liquidate.

The reduction of labor costs according to Mr. Webster, is still a very vital problem and, although the efficiency of labor has generally increased in many cases reduction in wages has not yet been accomplished. This is particularly true in the coal mining industry where, according to a contract with the labor unions there is to be no change until after April 1 of this year. At this time however, the mine owners propose to have a show down. The cost of labor now is out of all proportion to the normal selling price.

Mr. Webster stated that the peak of business was reached early in the year of 1920, but that thereafter most industries went ahead with their expansion regardless of the danger signals. When the liquidation period came the losses were so great that in many cases they were more than the total earnings during the war.

Mr. Webster did not believe the outlook for foreign trade was very bright in America in competition with the depreciated currency in Germany and to some extent with that in the rest of Europe. Questioned upon the exchange problem he said that it was too complicated for him to understand and that even after he had questioned various competent bankers, he had secured no lucid explanation. He thought that Great Britain's handling of her own industrial and financial situation through her colonies had been excellent.

Tuchuns Promise To Aid Elections

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 16.—In reply to the President's telegram urging the provinces to carry out elections for the next Parliament, General Lu Hung-tao, Tuchun of Kansu, and General Chi Hsueh-yuan and Mr. Wang Hu, Tuchun and Civil Governor of Kiangsu, respectively, have telegraphed to the President saying that they are doing their utmost to hasten the final elections.

Cost Of Living Less In America

(Eastern News Agency)

Washington, March 17.—The Department of Labor statistics state that the retail food cost for the average family of the United States during February was three tenths of one percent lower than January. The total reductions since February 1921 have been eleven percent.

Greeks Free Ship At French Demand

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, March 19.—The Government has decided to release the Italian steamer Abbazia and its cargo, which was recently seized on the ground that it was contraband of war and is also replying to the French note with regard to the seizure of French ships undertaking not to molest French vessels in future.

JOB FOR McADOO

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

San Francisco, March 18.—Mr William G. McAdoo has been appointed general counsel of the Bank of Italy.

Mrs. Leonard Wood First Lady Of The Philippines

MRS. Leonard Wood, wife of General Leonard Wood, Governor-General of the Philippines.

Wu Pei-fu Praises Tung For Inquiring Into Peking Graft

(Chung Mei Service)

Peking, March 18.—Despite reports to the contrary in the press, opinion in official Chinese circles is that Tung Kang will continue his investigations of the financial situation and will endeavor to bring the guilty ministers to justice for their alleged corruption in handling government funds. Mr. Tung has received another supporting telegram this time from General Wu Pei-fu, who urges Tung to continue his efforts. After complimenting him on his zeal and bravery Wu likens Tung's attitude and work to that of Confucius.

Wu Pei-fu states that just as Confucius while administrator of justice in the ancient state of Lu prosecuted guilty officials in spite of opposition, so Tung is now working in the best interests of his country although attacked on every side. He further draws the parallel that Confucius brought about the execution of the notoriously corrupt official, Hsiao Chun-mao, and indicates that his example might be followed to advantage by Tung Kang.

Now that the true condition of the finances of the country is known, goes on the General, there is no reason to be lenient and no right to practice any discrimination in the execution of justice because of high official position. Tung Kang is urged to take immediate judicial steps in order that a precedent may be set up which would warn further ministers of finance of the danger of indulging in corrupt practices to their own pecuniary profit.

French Criticise German Budget

(Chung Mei Service)

Paris, March 15.—The French press again criticises Germany severely for the extravagance of her budget. Germany has granted an increase in wages to her protesting public officials and this increase will mount to thirty billions of paper marks a year.

Other expenses that have been added to the budget, according to Le Petit Parisien is the money advanced to companies engaged in the replacement of the buildings destroyed during the war in East Prussia. This amounts to several billions of marks.

Deny Existence Of Aero Combine

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 17.—The Waichiaopu and the British Legation both emphatically deny that there is the slightest truth in the report recently circulated in Peking to the effect that the British Minister had proposed to make the Chinese Air Service a joint Sino-British enterprise.

Asks Support On Alien Measures

(China Press Service)

New York, March 17.—Addressing the National Civic Federation, Secretary Davis urged that it support the government's alien reservation measure. He said that 30,000 aliens were awaiting the chance to enter the United States.

"THE REVENGE OF TARZAN"
A thrilling melodrama of the Jungle in 7 parts
at the ISIS
Commencing Thursday next

Southern Baptist Mission To Feed 5000 Starving

(China Press Correspondence)

Peking, March 17.—Two hundred tons of Manchurian Kaoliang is being purchased for the Southern Baptist Mission of Pochow, by the China International Famine Relief Commission for distribution at Kweiteh and Pochow at least partly in connection with road construction as a relief measure there. The fund which goes to buy this grain represents the contributions made by the members of the above Mission.

In placing the order, Rev. G. P. Bostick of Pochow wrote: "We are selecting about 5,000 people to carry through until wheat harvest and these are the only ones given any kind of assurance as yet that they will be helped till harvest. We also hope to keep about 1,000 at work on public roads, streets and our own property. These, too, will be helped through to harvest either by working or later on free grain.

"I have just heard of a road planned between Pochow and other points that I am expected to oversee," continues the Rev. Bostick. "But the local officials and gentry seem very slow to make any movement worth while. They have been giving out, first in soup and later in dry grain, an allowance of four ounces daily to 12,000 people in and around the city. I protest to them that this can save nobody to the end and that more must be done if any of the 387,000 whom they say are needy are saved to wheat."

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO	
Golden State	Feb. 21
Korea Maru	Mar. 1
Sylvan Arrow	Mar. 10
Shinyo Maru	Mar. 17
Stockton	Mar. 19
Empire State	Mar. 29
FOR LOS ANGELES	
Apus	Mar. 8
FOR PORTLAND	
Hannawa	Feb. 26
Las Vegas	Mar. 3
Hanna Nielsen	Mar. 5
Montague	Mar. 5
Bearport	Mar. 10
Hektor	Mar. 11
FOR VANCOUVER	
Emp. of Russia	Feb. 28
Emp. of Japan	Mar. 17
Can. Winner	Mar. 20
FOR PUGET SOUND	
Wm. Dollar	Mar. 20
FOR SEATTLE	
Keystone State	Feb. 22
Kinkasan Maru	Mar. 6
Silver State	Mar. 12
FOR TACOMA	
Hawaii Maru	Mar. 15
FOR PORT TOWNSEND	
Steel Scientist	Mar. 9
FOR NEW YORK	
Havana Maru	Feb. 24
Celtic Prince	Mar. 5
Satsuma	Mar. 5
Ajax	Mar. 7
Endicott	Mar. 16
Havre Maru	Mar. 16
M. S. Dollar	Mar. 20
FOR LONDON	
Elpenor	Feb. 24
Kashgar	Feb. 25
Agapenor	Feb. 27
Haruna Maru	Feb. 27
Pyrrhus	Mar. 3
Khiva	Mar. 11
Glaucus	Mar. 14
Mentor	Mar. 20
FOR AMSTERDAM	
Aldabi	Mar. 8
FOR HAMBURG	
Glenshane	Feb. 24
Glenade	Mar. 14
Habinga	Mar. 15
FOR MARSEILLES	
Armand Behic	Mar. 3
Meinam	Mar. 15
Andre Lebon	Mar. 18
FOR COPENHAGEN	
Chile	Feb. 23
FOR NEW CASTLE	
Forkenskjold	Mar. 11
FOR BOMBAY	
Dunera	Feb. 27
FOR CALCUTTA	
Takada	Mar. 7
Gregory Apcar	Mar. 17

THE CARE OF THE BABY

is every good mother's first consideration, and often enough she is so worried by the little one's aches and ills that she does not know which way to turn to find for it relief.

To every mother Baby's Own Tablets, the Canadian children's remedy, are a real friend. They gently regulate the bowels and stomach, break up colds and simple fevers, expel worms, cure vomiting and indigestion, and make teething easy. They promote calm natural sleep, good appetite and regular development, are equally helpful to infants and children of all ages.

Baby's Own Tablets are obtainable from chemists, or post free at 60 cents the vial from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 96 Szechuen Road, Shanghai.

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SOLE AGENTS
THE FEARON, DANIEL COMPANY

Egyptian Crowd Stones Cairo Police

(Reuter's Service)

Cairo, March 18.—When the King was returning from reviewing the Egyptian troops a hostile crowd of students entered the square fronting the Palace and stoned the police. A police officer fired, wounding three or more of the attackers.

King George has telegraphed his congratulations to King Fuad expressing the earnest hope that Egypt will long continue to enjoy the fruits of independence under King Fuad's rule.

King Fuad replied that he is firmly convinced that the new era will see the consolidation of friendly relations and a perfect entente which it has always been his heart's desire to see established between Great Britain and Egypt.

Cordial messages have also been exchanged between Lord Curzon and Sarwat Pasha, the Egyptian Premier.

Harbor Works To Cost Ten Millions

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 17.—It is reported that all questions connected with the construction of the harbor at Lienshan Bay have been settled by the Government and the Fengtien Authorities. The work is to begin this year and be completed within seven years.

The Government and Fengtien Province are each to provide $5,000,000, Tenders will be called for the construction work and will be open to all nationalities. It is expected that tenders will be called on April 1.

With regard to the construction of Hulutao Harbor, which will be a portion of the general scheme for the development of Lienshan Bay, the plans will be under the joint control of the Ministry of the Interior and the Civil Governor of Fengtien.

OIL FIRE

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, March 19.—A fire has destroyed the large new depots of the Standard Oil Company on the Bosphorus.

Gompers Promises Aid To Coal Miners

(China Press Service)

Washington, March 17.—Pres. Samuel Gompers now has stated officially that the American Federation of Labor would support the coal strike, declaring that the employers were violating the agreement to confine wages scales.

GERMANY PAYS

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, March 18.—Germany today paid in the seventh instalment of 31,000,000 gold marks under the Cannes arrangement.

Olympic Theatre

Wednesday 22nd, and Saturday 25th March at 9:15 p.m.

Concert, March 22

1.—Fantaisie and double fugue ... *Bach-Liszt*
Alexander Sklarevski

2.—(a) Cavatina and Rondo ..... *M. Glinka*
(b) Ah! non credea mirarti ..... *Donizetti*
(c) Le Violette ..... *A. Scarlatti*
(d) Sevilliana ..... *Massenet*
Lydia Lipkowska

3.—(a) Nocturne, Fis mo'] (b) Waltz, As dur (c) Polonaise, As dur } *Chopin*
Alexander Sklarevski

4.—(a) Nieger Cradle Song ..... *Clutsam*
(b) If I only knew ..... *Tschaykovsky*
(c) Les Clochettes, from opera Lakme ..... *Leo Delibes*
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(Special To The China Press)

Washington, March 17.—The Japanese embassy has advised Tokio to instruct the minister of war to arrange for the removal of Japanese troops and gendarmes along the Tsingtau-Tsinanfu railway. These instructions are given without awaiting the ratification of the Shantung Treaty.

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SHANGHAI, MARCH 21, 1922

WEATHER

Weather fine, dry and relatively cold. Cyclonic gales and rough weather between Korea and Japan. Very hard N. E. monsoon to the south of the Saddles.

BIRTHS

CURRY.—On March 19, 1922, at 1 Canton Road, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Curry, a daughter.
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JACKSON.—On March 19th, 1922, at Dr. Fearn's Sanatorium, Shanghai, to Capt. & Mrs. A. E. Jackson, a son, Hugh. 46928 M. 21

An Opportunity To Encourage Railway Development By Popular Financing

BY JOSEF W. HALL

DR. C. T. Wang, Christian teacher and organiser, patriotic arouser, diplomat, and industrial promoter has received in well-earned recognition of his almost single-handed fight for Shantung in Paris, the appointment of Director-General of the commission which is to act jointly with a similar Japanese commission in arranging the actual return to China of the properties and privileges which Japan has agreed to retrocede. It would appear, that, if he "works it right," he may easily pass from his present temporary position to that of permanent Director-General of the Shantung Railway and affiliated extension projects.

For obvious reasons, public interest in the Shantung railway is far greater than heretofore has been manifested in railway enterprise in China. From patriotic motives, with little thought of interest and in many cases with disregard for principal, thousands of Chinese citizens of all stations of life in all the provinces are willing to participate in the Shantung Railway redemption fund. If contributions gathered in while the enthusiasm is high are correctly cared for until the lapse of the five-year period permits of their investment in the railway, and thereafter assured regular interest through the efficient management of the line, the patriotic motive for investment may easily be superceded by the pecuniary motive.

Confidence may be developed which will enable the directors of the Shantung Railway to float popular share issues sufficient to finance the projected extensions and branches of the line; and a consistent policy will soon allow of the construction of an entire railway system in this most strategic portion of China financed entirely by the aggregated small amounts now hoarded throughout the country, or held in the shape of jewelry or other treasure which produces no increment.

The influence of such a development from the present popular interest in the Shantung Railway would be revolutionary. Estimates of the amounts of non-productive capital in hoard throughout the country vary from one thousand to five thousand million dollars, but there is no doubt that it totals a greater amount than foreign financiers are prepared to lend China, or that it is more than sufficient to construct a complete and sufficient railway system over the entire Chinese terrain. The Confidence and interest of the Chinese potentially investing public is not difficult to arouse, although it has received a valuable lesson in sophistication from the stock exchange speculation in Shanghai.

Those who are wise from experience of the way in which popular financing movements such as that for the redemption of the Shantung Railway have in the past turned out, cherish a not unfounded cynicism in regard to the ability of anyone to guide such a movement to a happy end. There are so many possible leaks through which the patriot's contribution may disappear between the time it leaves his hand and the time it may provide him interest from surplus railway earnings that the success of the scheme seems dubious.

Some very necessary and very firm policies must be followed in order to procure it. Definite methods for the receipt and deposit of the contributions must be evolved; barriers to the endeavors of wealthy men and militarists to get possession of millions of the people's money by the investment of thousands of their own must be erected (probably a maximum limit must be set to the contribution of any one individual), such keen and continuous public interest must be kept centered on the scheme as will be sufficient to scare off intervention by politicians and chieftains, corruption must be scrupulously guarded against, and adequate control given to capable technical men.

This is a big task for any man. If C. T. Wang can do it he will deserve credit as the father of the new, industrialised China.

Correspondence

YANGTSZE WHARF CASE

Editor: THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir.—As one who is not wholly ignorant of the real facts with regard to the case of the Yangtsze Wharf, may I crave the indulgence of your columns to say a few words on the subject?

Reliable information has reached me that the Chinese Defense Commissioner has twice notified the Kaiyosha Company, the tenants of the said wharf, of the intention of the Chinese government to seize forcibly the property. In order to understand whether the present measure adopted by the Chinese government would be justifiable or not, one must study the plain facts of the case.

It appears that after the Chinese government took possession of the property in question from the Germans, they leased it to the Kaiyosha Co. for a period of three years. By virtue of the agreement, the lease was to terminate on August 15, 1921. The Chinese government had from time to time written to the company stating that at the expiration of the present lease, it would not be renewed. The Company then wrote back and refused the cancellation of the lease on the ground of an option. The government replied to the effect that since the company has not performed some of the clauses contained in the agreement, the right of option was forfeited. As a proof of the non-performance of the agreement, the government have in their possession a report from the surveyors showing some of the non-repairs on the part of the company. According to sub-clause of clause 4, it is clearly stated that the government could have the said property returned to the original owner, or for other disposition in the event of a treaty or a declaration of peace being signed between China and Germany.

No sooner was peace signed between the said governments, than the ministry of communications approached the Japanese minister about this matter, and the result was not successful.

All the protests made by the government to the company fell to deaf ears, and this state of affairs has been going on for the last six months. The government finding that all peaceable means of recovering the said property having been exhausted, was compelled at last to adopt the only measure left to it. So the ministry of communications ordered the Defense Commissioner here to notify the company through the Japanese Consul General to the effect that should the company still persist in retaining the said property which rightfully belongs to the government, after March 19, 1922, the government would seize it by force. On receiving this notification the company requested the government to extend the period for another week so as to have the dispute settled through diplomatic channels.

What will be the outcome of this case, it would be premature for me to predict, but I hold the firm belief that if "right is might and not might is right" the Chinese government will assuredly come out victorious at the settlement of the Yangtsze Wharf case.

Yours truly,
K. K. CHIM.

-:- India's First Parliament -:-

By Lieut. Colonel E. J Lascelles in Overseas Magazine

Like unto a Tibetan monastery, standing upon a veritable mountain top some 7,000 feet above the sea, stands the Simla home of India's Parliament. Here meet the legislators of the Indian Empire for their summer session, when the heat renders parliamentary work in Delhi impossible. A newly built, large, square, white building extending from side of the narrow hill-top; the retaining walls of the site on which it stands falling steeply to the very narrow roads on either side; roads with hurdle-high rails on their outer edge, which the hillside falls sheer away.

Rising and falling for some forty or more miles to southward are great, folding spurs of the Himalayan foothills, rising up to some 2,000 to 3,000 feet from the stony torrent beds at their base, falling again to the bottom of the narrow valleys—rising and falling in succession till they meet the great plains. Across the plains winds, during the rainy seasons, a broad silver thread—the river Sutlej.

To northward tower the Himalayan snows, on some days shrouded in mist, on others standing forth as an unscaleable white rampart against the bluest of blue skies. Surveying thus a vast expanse of a still vaster India—a fitting site for the Parliament house of a great Dominion-to-be.

At nine o'clock on the morning of September 3—the day on which Lord Reading was to open his first Parliament—a visitor within the walls of the Legislative Assembly Chamber might have imagined himself within the Legislative Chamber of any House within the British Commonwealth — Ottawa, Melbourne, Cape Town or Wellington. At the eastern end, where usually stands the President's (Speaker's) chair, stood a golden throne ready to receive the Viceroy; on either hand ranged greencovered benches of the old familiar kind—just the ordinary prosaic housing of any British legislature.

By five minutes to eleven o'clock the benches were crowded with members of the Council of State (Upper House) and Legislative Assembly (Lower House), for both "Houses" had assembled in the Assembly Chamber to hear the speech of the King-Emperor's representative. A few moments after eleven o'clock the western doors of the Chamber swung open, and the respendently clad figure of the Sergeant-at-Arms—a stalwart, black-bearded and much bemedalled Indian Officer of the gallant Indian Army—entered. Following him came the officials of Parliament, precedin the Presidents of the Council of State and of the Assembly, both in robes and fullbottomed wigs, reminiscent of the Mother of Parliaments. Behind them marched in procession the Viceroy's staff followed by Lord Reading in the pale blue robes of the Order of the Star of India, his train carried by two pages—youthful Indian Princes, the little Rana of Dhami and Kumar Rattain Singh—clad in silk garments and wearing silken turbans, also of Star of India blue.

Lord Reading having taken his seat upon the throne, the sight which met his eyes must have reminded him, in a measure, of h days in the House of Commons—crowded benches on either hand. But in truth, how different in appearances from Westminster and all other Parliaments of the Commonwealth. On the front bench on the right, the Commander-in-Chief, Lord Rawlinson, erstwhile leader of the Fourth Army, clad in full uniform and wearing the robes of the Order of the Bath.

By his side, wearing the blue and gold of official dress, the Member-in-Charge of the Home Department, Sir William Vincent, a senior member of that body of great administrators, the Indian Civil Service. Beside him, also in full official uniform, Khan Bahadur Mian Mohammad Shafi, the Mussulman Member-in-Charge of the Education Department. Next him, Dr. Tej Bahadur Sapru, a Hindu barrister of great brilliance, who sacrificed a very large practice to take the portfolio of Law Member. On his right, Ro Bahadur B. N. Sarma, Member-in-Charge of Revenue and Agriculture. At his side, Mr. Hailey, Finance Member—these forming the Governor-General's Executive Council.

Also clad in official dark blue and gold many Secretaries to Government, and with them other nominated members—for this is a Government in transition on benevolent autocracy to full responsibility. Then in plain morning dress elected European members; for example, Sir Alexander Murray, representing Calcutta Chamber of Commerce and the commercial community, who are the successors in the merchant princes of bygone days; Mr. Arthur Froom, from Bombay Chamber of Commerce, and controlling at the seagate of India the movements of the P. and O. steamships, the great fleet which has done so much to develop communications between England and India, Australia and the Far East. There are others equally prominent.

But interest centers in the nominated and elected representatives of the Indian peoples, clad for the most part in greys and blacks—the sombreness relieved by their multi-colored headdresses. Sir Sivaswamy Aiyer, a master of the English tongue—in which members of the Assembly elect to conduct their debate—one time Advocate-General of Madras, and Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Madras, Mr. Seshagiri Aiyer, who resigned from the High Court Bench to serve his country politically, Mr. Rangachari, a leading pleader before the High Court. These men, Brahmins, representatives of the senior Presidency, whence comes also Mr. Sastri, one of India's representatives at the recent Imperial Conference. All wearing the small white and golden turban of Madras, and with spotless white scarves falling stole-like from their shoulders.

Mr. Khaparde, resplendent in towering purple and gold puggarree—one time follower of Mr. Tilak then a fiery home-ruler, now a moderate progressive. Clad in the scarlet uniform of the 18th Lancers, Colonel Sir Umar Hyat Khan Tiwana, a gallant soldier who has served his King-Emperor in many theaters of war, and a typical specimen of the martial men of the Punjab, Sardar Gajjan Singh grey-bearded representative of that great fighting community, the Sikhs. Fiery-bearded and fiery-haired Sir Bahram Khan, from the frontier marches of the north-west where the ready tongue of the debater is but a source of danger and rule is with the hand that holds the sword.

Rajah Sir Harman Singh, of Kapurthala, an elder of the Scots Church and doyen of the small Christian community of Northern India, Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, worthy son of a worthy father and fitting representative of the wealthy Parsee merchants of Bombay—wearing the distinctive headdress of the community. Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas, wearing the red and gold Bombay flat turban, thirty years of age, a fearless speaker possessing that—for India—rare quality of standing up to be shot at politically. Mr Joshi, similarly "hatted," representative of Bombay labor—of the mill hands, who are making of their island town the Manchester and Oldham of the East; a servant of India and indefatigable worker in the cause of the people. Lieut.-Colonel Gidney, one time belonging to the Indian Medical Service, now the Parliamentary representative of the Anglo-Indian community; those of mixed European and Indian blood.

Seated side by side a military officer in full review order and a thin, ascetic-faced Hindu, clad in quiet grey coat buttoned tightly round the neck, a grey muffler—such as might have been worn by a mine-sweeping fisherman in the North Sea—and a small black cap; fitting supporters to the escutcheon of dyarchy. This is to mention only a few; but it will suffice. The picturesqueness of the scene on the floor of the House, completed by the closely packed galleries containing visitors, British and Indian; the men in uniform, in plain tweeds, and in the varied costumes of the land; ladies, British, some in Paris fashions; Indian, draped gracefully in the silken robes of their country.

But this pageantry must not be permitted to obscure the true and great significance of the gathering. This is India's Parliament; the Parliament of what in the not far distant future may be the biggest self-governing Dominion of the Commonwealth. For this is the goal of all save a hot-headed, but vociferous, minority; not the limited rights of shareholders, but the full status of partners in the Commonwealth. What India aims at is full mistresshood in her own house and equality at the Council table.

The Viceroy, in his speech, stated that, although the representatives of India at the Imperial Conference in London were not able to achieve all they wished, it should not be doubted that they had secured a notable recognition of the status of India in the Empire. He went on to remark: "It may be a tarday recognition, but it establishes beyond all question and authoritatively, by the conclusions of the premiers assembled at the Imperial Conference, with one dissentient, the equal status of Indians in the Empire." He continued: "Secondly, the attitude of His Majesty's Government, and their recognition of this principle, will mean that it will be applied in other parts of the Empire which are not under Dominion Government, notably in East Africa." The depth of Indian feeling on this question was apparent from the deep and general murmur of applause which greeted Lord Reading's statement that "In India we cannot but rejoice at these conclusions."

It must be clearly understood today by Britons at home and overseas that India will not consent to remain longer in the British Commonwealth on terms which involve humiliation. But it is for Indians for their part to understand, and to understand very clearly, that the consummation of membership in a family of self-governing nations is only for those peoples who have proved themselves capable of self-government. This India has not yet done. Those who viewed the working of the first session of her Parliament, opened by the Duke of Connaught in Delhi, do not doubt her capacity—but they, especially those acquainted with the political development of the Dominions, know that the road is longer, rougher and more uphill than most Indian politicians imagine it to be.

There are grave elements of danger in the Indian political situation today, adding very considerably to difficulties that would have been sufficiently great under peaceful and settled conditions. The problem is one for the Indian to solve, with such limited measure of assistance as his British coadjutors on the spot can give him; it is essentially an Indian problem, to be solved for India by Indians.

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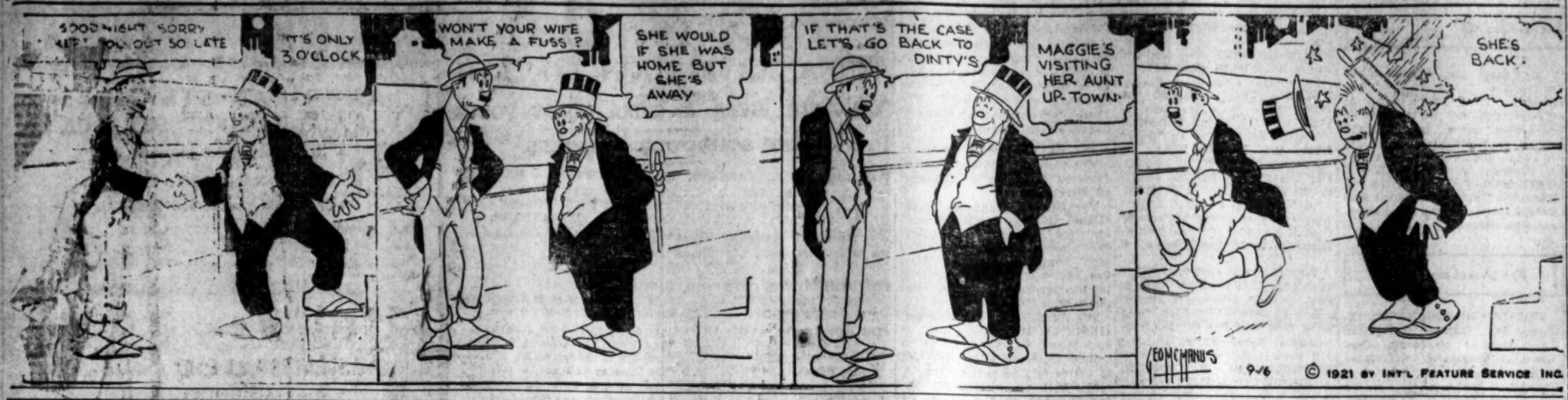
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Life On Other Planets

A recrudescence of rumors regarding alleged signals from Mars furnishes the excuse for renewed discussion of the perennial question. Is there life—especially intelligent life—in other worlds than ours? Here is a question that has been voluminously debated in all kinds of publications, from the silliest of Sunday Supplements to the gravest of scientific journals; and strange to say, the same sort of fallacies are prevalent in all grades of literature on the subject. The commonest fallacy was pointed out some time ago by Mr. Charles Fitzhugh Talman, in the Scientific American, as follows:

In the writings of many latter-day litterateurs and not a few professed scientists we find glib references to the "people" of this or that planet, and the use of this word implies the assumption that life, from its necessarily simple beginnings, has, in each world where it exists, ultimately developed one and only one species more or less like the human race, and clearly differentiated from and superior to all the other species produced in the same world. But nothing that we know of the evolutionary process warrants such an assmption.

The imaginable forms which living matter may assume are infinitely diverse. Look forth upon the myriad species of organic beings—plants and animals—which our own world contains Where among them all can you find an organism, other than man, which, if placed upon Mars, would be intellectually capable of communicating with us? What success should we have in attempting to telegraph to a race of horses or guinea pigs, for example?

And this writer adds, by way of suggesting a reply to his own question:

I think it is most reasonable to suppose that, if life has been produced at all upon other planets than our own, it has assumed forms of which we know nothing; forms which may be neither animal nor vegetal, which transcend our experience, and of which we are therefore quite unable to conceive. Given life, plastic and protean, and the laws of probabilities, and such a result would seem to follow as a matter of course.

Even could we actually perform the journey to Mars, it is not likely that we should be able to communicate with its inhabitants, and if we found existing there a great number of life forms we should probably have difficulty in deciding to which of them, if any, the designation "people" should be applied.

Mr. Hudson Maxim has subsequently written to the same effect. Nobody, however, has previously offered so trenchant an argument against the common anthropocentric notions about "the people of Mars," and the like, as that published it a current number of Science by Dr. W. D. Matthew, of the American Museum of Natural History. After showing how small a place intelligent human life has occupied in the vast history of the earth, Dr. Matthew says of possible life in other worlds:

Such life, if it exists, would surely be evolved ab initio on independent lines of adaptation and the probabilities would be overwhelming that the results of the aeons of its evolution, if by some rare chance it developed intelligent life simultaneously with its appearance on the earth, would be a physical and intellectual type so different fundamentally from our own as to be altogether incomprehensible to us even if we recognised it as being intelligence or life at all. Who that has studied the ant or the bee has failed to be impressed with the unplumbed mysteries in its sensations, its psychology, its inner life! We are far from any full understanding of the intelligence, if I may use the word, of the social insects, relatives, albeit distant relatives, of our own, brought up under the identical environment of terrestrial conditions. How much farther would we be from any comprehension of the intellectual processes of a race of beings whose ultimate origin was wholly different from ours, whose evolution was shaped under conditions that, however closely parallel, could not have been identical with those of the earth. Indeed if we are to take a receptive attitude in this matter, why limit ourselves to protoplasm as the basis of life? What reason have we to suppose that a self-perpetuating substance, capable of acquiring the heterogeneity of function, the multiple complexity of structural adaptation, the specialisation of parts, the elaboration of control and correlation of organs, and finally the dominance of these last and development of conscious and intelligent beings, must necessarily be based upon the semi-liquid jelly upon which life, as we know it, is fundamentally based? Other substances, solid, liquid, or even gaseous, may have similar capacities, may have carried them out under different conditioning laws, to a result equally complex and marvellous. We know of nothing of the sort. But would we know of it if it existed, even if it existed upon earth? Would there be any conceivable method of communication any common ideas, interests or activities, between such beings and ourselves? It does not appear probable. How much less the probability of communication across the void of interplanetary space.

To suppose that parallel evolution could go so far as to produce similar methods of exploiting the earth to those used by civilised man—irrigation canals, cities, or other such phenomena of the immediate present—in life evolved independently in different planets—and to produce them at an identical moment in geologic time—would seem to be the result of those limitations of constructive or creative thought which are characteristic of myth and fairytale, of the anthropomorphic god, or the animal that thinks and talks like a man.

And Dr. Matthew says in concluding his article:

In any specific instance, such as other planets of our own system, the probabilities of the existence of any kind of life amount to practically zero. The probabilities of an intelligent life upon Mars or Venus or elsewhere in our system so similar to our own in its character and manifestations as to be indicated by irrigation canals, cities, or other manifestatons of human civilisation, appears to be zero of the second degree. The most that one can allow as a reasonable possibility is that there may be some form of life existing somewhere else in the universe than upon our planet. That we have or shall ever get evidence of its existence appears to me practically impossible in the light of present knowledge and limitations.

Tung Kang, On Gratters' Trail, Says Ex-Minister Got Away With $15,000,000

(Chung Mei Service)

Peking, March. 17.—In order to convince the public that he is not to be dissuaded from prosecuting those officials responsible for the financial irregularities discovered in his investigation of the $96,000,000 salt surplus loan, Tung Kang, chairman of the investigation commission, has issued a circular telegram explaining his position. In spite of the opposition of high officials and influential bankers the Minister of Justice is determined to carry on his campaign and bring the criminals to justice.

In his telegrams he states that he has been appointed to take charge of the investigation of the short-term foreign and domestic loans of the Government because it was felt that with the floating of a loan of $96,000,000, corrupt officials would find the opportunity to misappropriate government funds for their own use.

"On investigation I found," he says, "that Chang Hu, Muinster of Finance already had taken $15,000,000 in bonds and upon being requested to explain his operations gave ambiguous answers as to the disposal of the money. The matter was consequently referred to the Chief Executive but no action taken, whereupon the Ministry of Justice was notified."

Mr. Tung says that it is still uncertain whether he will be successful in his efforts to prosecute those responsible for financial malpractices, but that he will probe the situation to the bottom and bring those guilty to punishment if it is possible. He charges the culprits with bribing the newspapers of the capital to oppose his actions but reiterates that he will not stop his investigations, being opposed to corruption in any form and being very strict in his justice towards those who attempt to rob the country.

Finance being the basis of the country's prosperity and China being rich in natural resources, he sees no reason why the poverty-stricken condition prevailing today cannot be eradicated and is glad to be a pioneer in the movement to drive corruption out of the Government. He says the following problems must be solved to insure the country's welfare: the redemption of domestic and foreign loans, the extension of the Ministries of Education, Justice, and Commerce and Agriculture.

He closes the telegram by stating that it is high time for reform and calls upon the people to lay aside factional differences and cooperate with him in his efforts to free the country from the corruption from which it is suffering because of the malpractices of certain officials.

Telegrams supporting him have been received by acting-premier Dr. Yen and by Tung Kang himself from the Chamber of Commerce and the Educational Association of Shanghai. He is urged to bring the conscienceless officials to justice and to spare no efforts to uphold the letter and spirit of the law. Having gained an honorable reputation for integrity he is urged to carry on regardless of the consequences to himself and to refuse to be intimidated into giving up the original purposes with which he undertook the campaign to prosecute the corrupt officials of the Ministry of Finance.

Further support is offered him by the students of Peking who are being urged to come to the support of Tung Kang who is described as fighting their battles in the face of tremendous opposition and the machinations of a gang of official grafters who possess influence and wealth. In an editorial in the Peking Express, the student daily, the students are called upon to act and to start agitation which will not be stopped until "official grafters have been brought to book."

They are urged to take immediate action for the sake of killing that tradition that it is allowable for officials to squeeze the Government and to use their offices for the building up of their own personal fortunes. The systematic press campaign against Tung Kang is again referred to in this article as the work of the opponents to his investigations who fear that those investigations may end in their own trial for corruption.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

(CORRECTED) TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1922

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	U.S.A.	Reg.
TODAY					
Japan Ports	T'shima M	19.00			18.30
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Tungchow	13.30	13.30		13.00
Chefoo	Chunsang		17.00		
Japan Ports	Y'shiro M.		17.00		
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00			17.00
River ports	Train & Str.	21.00			21.00
Chefoo	Hupeh	21.00			21.00
Dalny	Sokaki Maru	18.30			18.00
Chefoo and N'chwang	Changchow	21.00			21.00
Tientsin	Tungwah	21.00			21.00
Chefoo and Newchwang	Kungping	21.00			21.00
Foochow	Ningpo	17.00			16.30
Foochow	Feiching	21.00			21.00
Amoy and Swatow	Yushun	21.00			21.00
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	21.00			21.00
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Shantung	14.30			14.00
Swatow and Hongkong	do		14.30		
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Kamo M.	14.00			13.30
Hongkong	do		14.30		
Hankow	Tuckwo		17.00		
Japan Ports	T'shima M.		8.30		
Ningpo	H.Kiangteen		15.00		
Tientsin	Train		17.00		
Hankow	Train		17.00		
Vladivostok	Train		17.00		
TOMORROW					
Hongkong and Canton	Wenatchee	17.00			16.30
Manila via Hongkong	Wenatchee	17.00			16.30
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00			17.00
River ports	Train & Str.	21.00			21.00
Hongkong and Canton	Kwanedee	21.00			21.00
Hongkong	do		17.00		
Thursday, March 23					
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00			21.00
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	*Shuntien	8.30	8.00		8.00
Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Sinkiang	8.30			8.00
Amoy and Hongkong	do		8.30		
Hongkong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Merano	17.00			16.30
Friday, March 24					
Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via U.S.A.	†Nanking	14.00	14.00		13.30
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	19.00			18.30
Swatow & Hongkong	Suechuen		17.00		
Hongkong	Wenatchee		8.00		
Saturday, March 25					
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	E. of Asia	A16.00			15.30
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Devanha	8.30			7.30
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	....do		9.30		9.15
Japan, Canada, U. S. A. & Europe via Canada	E. of Asia		16.30		
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Fengtien	8.30	8.00		8.00
Japan Ports	Kasuga M.	19.00			18.30
Sunday, March 26					
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via Canada	P. T. State		B10.00		
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	P. T. State	10.00			9.30

A Time fixeed provisionally.
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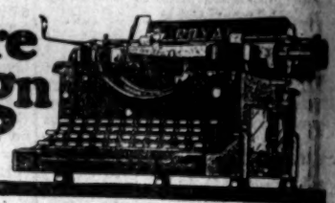

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Tungting, Capt. J. A. Campbell, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, March 21, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents French Bund. Tel. Central No. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. Kiangteen, Captain Johansson, will leave on Wednesday, March 22, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Poyang, Captain Carnaghan, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, March 23, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents French Bund. Telephone Central 4881, Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Loongwo, 3,926 Tons, Captain Gray, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, March 24, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Luenyi, Capt F. D. Northcombe, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, March 24, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents French Bund. Tel. C. No. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Wuchang, Captain A. Torrible, will leave on Saturday, March 25, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents Tel. No. C. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Ngankin, Captain Newcomb, will leave from the French Bund on Monday, March 27, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents French Bund. Tel. C. No. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

HANKOW AND PORTS.—The Indo-China S.N. Co.'s Kungwo 4,635 Tons, Capt. Gray will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, March 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON &Co. Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241 Extensions for Freight and Passenger Dupart ments.

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For Southern Ports

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NINGPO.—The Steamer Hsin Kiangteen, Captain Sundlo, will leave on Tuesday, March 21, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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FOOCHOW.—The Str. Feiching, Captain Smith, will leave on Wednesday morning, March 22. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY & SWATOW.—The Str. Yushun, Captain Jansen, will leave on Wednesday morning, March 22. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG and Canton.—The Str. Kwangtee, Capt. Barrett, will leave on Thursday morning, March 23. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s teamer Sinkiang, Capt. C. W. Puckett, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, March 23 at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Tel. C. No. 4881. Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Szechuen, Capt. Gibbs, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, March 25, at 8 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents. Tel. Central No. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to all Departments.

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Shipping Items

YANGTSZE PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Esang left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The S.P. s.s. Tehhsing left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

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The C.M. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due to arrive in Shanghai from Pukow today.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Hangsang is due to arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong and Ningpo on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow is due to arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong on Thursday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Yushun left Dairen for Shanghai on Sunday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru is due to arrive in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao this morning and will sail for same ports at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. The tender with outgoing passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock tonight.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen will leave Tsingtao tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai by way of Chefoo on Friday.

The O.S.K. s.s. Seikyo Maru is due to arrive in Shanghai from Tsingtao about 8 o'clock this morning and will dock at the O.S.K. Wharf. The Seikyo will sail for Foochow and Formosa on Thursday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is due to dock at the N.Y.K. Wharf tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga Maru will leave Nagasaki for Shanghai today and is due to dock at the Wayside Wharf on Thursday.

INDIAN PORTS

The P. and O. s.s. Sicilia which sailed from Bombay on March 1, was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The B.I. s.s. Torilla, from Calcutta, left Hongkong at 6 o'clock Saturday morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai by way of Amoy this afternoon. The Torilla will dock at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp is expected to arrive in Shanghai on March 28.

The Ellerman Line s.s. City of Simla will sail from Shanghai for Marseilles and London today and the tender with passengers and hand baggage only, will leave the Customs jetty at 11 o'clock this morning.

The M.M. s.s. Amazone which sailed from Marseilles on Feb. 24 with mails, is due to arrive at Saigon tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on April 3.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise will sail from Shanghai for Marseilles and ports of call on Monday, April 3, at 1 p.m. Passengers may embark direct at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf from 10 o'clock Monday morning and heavy baggage must be delivered to the Company's godown before 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 1.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles yesterday morning and is docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Kobe and Yokohama at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Novara which was due to arrive in Shanghai from London yesterday mroning, went aground outside Woosung.

AMERICAN LINES

The Adl. Line s.s. Bay State was scheduled to sail from Seattle last Saturday and is due to arrive in Shanghai by way of Yokohama and Kobe on April 4.

The Ellerman Line s.s. City of Oran is due to arrive in Shanghai from New York via Suez on Mar. 25 and is bringing cargo of the City of Tokio to this port.

The Adl. Line s.s. Dryden, from New York, left Honolulu for Yokohama on March 13.

The T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru was due to leave San Francisco last Saturday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai by way of Honolulu and Japan ports on April 13.

The Adl. Line s.s. Alloway left Savannah for Yokohama on March 14.

The O.S.K. s.s. Arabia Maru from Tacoma, left Kobe last Sunday and is due to arrive in Shanghai on Thursday. The liner will sail for Hongkong direct Friday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Wenatchee which sailed from Seattle on March 4, is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow.

Vessels Due

C. of Oran, *New York*	....	Mar. 25
Devanha, *Japan*	.....	Mar. 22
Dewey, *Los Angeles*	....	Mar. 22
E. of Asia, *Hongkong*	..	Mar. 26
Esang, *Hankow*	.. ..	Mar. 22
Hangsang, *Hongkong*	.....	Mar. 24
Hoosier State, *S. Francisco*		Mar. 24
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	.....	Mar. 24
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	...	Mar. 22
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	.....	Mar. 22
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*		Mar. 21
Kasuga Maru, *Japan*	....	Mar. 23
Katori Maru, *Japan*	...	Mar. 26
Kiangan, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 21
Kiangfoo *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 24
Kiangshih, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 28
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 25
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 23
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	....	Mar. 27
Kumano Maru, *Japan*	...	Mar. 22
Kungwo, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 26
Liangchow, *Hongkong*	....	Mar. 22
Luenho, *Hankow*	.. ...	Mar. 27
Luenyi, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 23
Liangchow, *Hongkong*	....	Mar. 23
Nanking, *Hongkong*	....	Mar. 24
Ngankin, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 25
Omi Maru, *Japan*	.....	Mar. 26
Pinetree State, *Hongkong*		Mar. 25
Poyang, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 22
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	...	Mar. 21
Shengking, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 26
Sicilia, *Bombay*	.. ..	Mar. 24
Sinkiang, *Hongkong*	....	Mar. 21
Suwa Maru, *Seattle*	.....	Mar. 28
Szechuen, *Tsingtao*	.....	Mar. 24
Tehhsing, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 23
Torilla, *Calcutta*	.....	Mar. 21
Waishing, *Pukow*	.....	Mar. 23
Wenatchee, *Seattle*	.....	Mar. 22
Whangpu, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 27
Wosang, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 24
Wuchang, *Hankow*	.....	Mar. 24
Yamashiro Maru, *Japan*		Mar. 19
Yushun, *Dairen*	.....	Mar. 21

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E. Asia	May 20	June 5	E. France	June 13	June 20
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E. Asia	July 15	July 31	E. France	Aug. 8	Aug. 15
E. Canada	July 29	Aug. 14	E. Scotland	Aug. 22	Aug. 29
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S.S. "TENYO MARU"	via Nagasaki	May 10
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S.S. "SHINYO MARU"	via Nagasaki	June 2
S.S. "TAIYO MARU"	via Nagasaki	June 25

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Mar. 19	Vladivostok	Yangsnin	Chi.	L. V. Lang
Mar. 19	Chinwangtao	Taiyo M.	Jap.	K.M.A.
Mar. 19	Native Customs	[illegible]	Chi.	H. Y. F.
Mar. 19	Java ports	Tjibodas	Dut.	H. C. T. Co
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Mar. 19	Tsingtao	Szechuen	Br.	B. & S.
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Mar. 25	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C. P. S.
Mar. 25	—	New York via Suez	K. Templar	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 26	—	Seattle	†Pinetree State	Am.	[illegible]
Apr. 5	—	New York via Suez	C. of Oran	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Am.	China Mail
Apr. 8	—	San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Apr. 9	—	Seattle	†Wenatchee	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 10	—	Portland	Pawlet	Am.	C.P.S. Co.
Apr. 11	—	Tacoma	Arabia Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Apr. 12	—	New York	Mayebashi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 14	—	Portland	Niels Nielsen	Nor.	Lumber Co.
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Apr. 15	—	New York via Suez	C. of Melbourne	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 22	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.S.
Apr. 22	—	New York	Amur Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Apr. 22	—	Seattle	†Bay State	Am.	[illegible]
Apr. 27	—	San Francisco	†Siberia Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 5	—	New York	Jadden	Am.	Adl. Line
May 6	—	Seattle	†Keystone State	Am.	Adl. Line
May 6	—	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br.	C. P. S.
May 6	—	San Francisco	†Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 10	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 17	—	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 20	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.S.
May 21	—	Seattle	†Silver State	Am.	Adl. Line
June 3	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
June 17	—	Vancouver	†[illegible] of Russian	Am.	C. P. S. Co.
July 1	—	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br.	C.P.S.
July 29	—	Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br.	C. P. S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Mar. 21	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 22	—	Moji, Kobe Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 22	6.00•	Kobe & Y'hama	Cordillere	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 23	—	Kobe	Shidzuoka M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 25	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 26	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 1	—	O'saki, K., Y'hama	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Mar. 21	—	London	Kamo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 22	—	Calcutta	Torilla	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 23	—	Singapore	Dewey	Am.	S. & B.
Mar. 25	—	London	†Devanha	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 27	—	Liverpool	Peleus	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 28	—	London	Katori Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 28	—	London	Glentara	Br.	G.L.A.
Mar. 28	—	London	Glenamoy	Br.	G.L.A.
Mar. 30	—	Antwerp	Machaon	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 30	—	Bombay	†Cirilla	Pe.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 3	—	Marseilles	Amboise	Fr.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 6	—	Liverpool	Anchises	[illegible]	B. & S.
Apr. 8	—	London	†Novara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 10	—	Rotterdam	Saparoea	Dut.	H. C. T. Co
Apr. 10	—	Hamburg	Altai Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Apr. 10	—	London	Glenariffe	Br.	G.L.A.
Apr. 12	—	Singapore, Java	W. Prospect	Am.	S. & B.
Apr. 18	—	London	Rheims	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 15	—	Liverpool	Antilochus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 20	—	London	Telreias	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 20	—	Rotterdam	Rotti	Dut.	H.C.T. Co.
Apr. 22	—	London	†Kalyan	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May 6	—	London	†Plassy	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May 10	—	Hamburg, ports	Glenogle	Br.	G. L. C. A.
May 15	—	Rotterdam	Oostkerk	Dut.	H.C.T. Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Mar. 21	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 21	—	Hongkong & C'ton	Kwanglee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 21	4.00	S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 21	6.00	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Mar. 22	—	Keelung	Seikyo Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Mar. 22	3.00	Hongkong & C'ton	Chunsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 22	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Mar. 22	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	—	Amoy & Swatow	Yushun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 22	—	Foochow	Fuching	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 23	—	Hongkong & C'ton	Kianglee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 23	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 23	—	Hongkong & Manila	Wenatchee	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 23	10.00•	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 24	—	Hongkong	Arabia Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Mar. 25	8.00•	S. H'kong, C'ton	Szechuen	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 26	—	Manila, Hongkong	Hoosier State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 29	—	Hongkong	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 6	—	Hongkong & Manila	Bay State	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 7	—	Hongkong	Sibaris Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Apr. 8	—	Manila, H'kong	E. of Russia	Br.	C. P. S.
Mar. 16	—	Manila, H'kong	Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Mar. 21	—	Tientsin	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 21	3.00	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	D.L.	Chefoo	Changchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	D.L.	Chefoo, N'chwang	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 22	—	Tientsin	Tungwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 22	6.00•	Tsingtao & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
Mar. 22	D.L.	Tsingtao	Wingsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 22	D.L.	Antung	Pakhoi	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	D.L.	Tsingtao & Chefoo	Hupeh	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 23	D.L.	C'foo, N'chwang	Tungshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 23	10.00•	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 23	—	Tientsin	Haro	Nor.	K.M.A.
Mar. 26	10.00•	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 27	—	Tientsin, ports	Kohoku Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Apr. 10	—	Taku Bar, ports	Pawlet	Am.	C.P.S.S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Mar. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tungting	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Mar. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Esang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Am.	S. & B.
Mar. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosung	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 25	8.00•	Pukow	Hangchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Nganking	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT D.L.—DAYLIGHT
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Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1922

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal after noon and midnight).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Rangs	Time	Rangs
5h. 53m.	4ft. 6in.	6h. 34m.	2ft. 0in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 5 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
4	49	5	24

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
1.10 a.m.	0.1 p.m.	6h. 3m.	6h. 1[illegible]	[illegible]h. 21m.	6h. 55m.

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For March 30.17 in.
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On Tuesday, the 21st March, 1922
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SUNDRY GOODS
Comprising:—
Iron wheel barrows, needles, pins, clips, glass flower vases, soda acide, showcases, shoe leather, paper cardboard, paper letter files, 20 rolls congolium, etc., etc., etc.
also
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On view date of sale

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On Wednesday, the 22nd March 1922
at 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, ETC.
Comprising:—
Oak stained bevel-edged mirror hat and umbrella stands, silk tapestry covered drawing room suites in teak frames, velvet covered double spring Chesterfield couch and easy chairs, center tables, jardiniere stands, curio cabinets, oak stained bevel-edged mirror back dining room suites, roll-top desks, chairs, letter files, teak and oak wood bevel-edged mirror back bedroom suites Double and single Simmon's bed steads, tapestry covered double spring couch and easy chairs, blackwood porcelain inlaid panel high screens, Teakwood morris chair with tapestry cushion, oil painting in gilt frame, photogravure in mahogany stained frame, lace curtains, marble clocks, bronze figures, vases, ornaments, glass and crockery ware, etc., etc., etc.
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One very old violin by Ancity, Italy, 1640—
One Fire proof Iron safe
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(1) Two Hornless gramophones with record cabinet
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Singapore Rubber Auction

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There has been a further decline in all markets during the past week. London was this morning quoted at 7 3/4d. and New York at 14 cents dull. The local market has followed the downward trend, but on account of "shorts" covering, prices are steady at the decline.
The total quantity for sale today was about 776 tons, of which 653 tons were offered and 567 tons sold. The demand was fair throughout the sale.
Awarded Standard Ribbed Smoked Sheet sold at 25 1/2 cents, which is 1 1/2 cents down on the week.
Some lots in cases fetched 26 cents.
There was a good demand for this grade and sheet equal to Standard.
Off Quality parcels found buyers.
Only two lots of Standard 1st Latex, packed in cases, changed hands, the price being 25 1/2 cents.
Crepe equal to Standard was wanted at a decline on the week of about 2 cents.
Off Color Latex and Mettled Crepes were sought for.
Fine Brown, Dark and Barky Crepes sold to an interested market.
Very fair prices were paid for these grades, which, on an average, have declined about two cents.
Meyer & Measor.

BANK PROPOSAL
(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, March 17.—Mr. Kuo Tze-yun, Director of the Overseas Bureau, has suggested to the Government the appointment of Mr. Yih Hsin-han, a prominent Chinese banker in San Francisco, as organiser of the proposed Emigrant Bank.

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Financial And Commercial News

Exchange Fluctuations
Asia Banking Corporation

March 20, 1922
Spot and forward bar silver were unchanged in London on Saturday.
The New York price advanced to 64 7/8 cents, and the London-New York cross rate to 440 3/8.
The only changes in the official quotations this morning were a rise in the Gold Dollar rate to 69 3/4 and a drop in the Yen rate to 68 3/4.
The market during the morning was steady, business in Sterling being done at 3-3 1/4 for March-April and 3-3 1/8 for May-June.
Gold Dollars in the morning were done at 72 1/4 for March and 72 for April-May.
In the afternoon, however, rates firmed up, speculators being sellers, and few buyers. The market closed firm with sellers of Sterling at 3s. 3 1/2d. for practically any delivery to June. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at the close at 72 3/8 for March and 72 3/4 for April-May-June.
America and the Continent sold silver in London on Saturday and India bought.
There was nothing doing in the New York market.

Hongkong Shares
Messrs. Moxon and Tayor of Hongkong write as follows in their weekly share report dated Hongkong, March 10:
The seamen's strike was finally settled last Sunday night and the various labor organisations have now returned to work. Business however in our market is still on a very restricted scale and very few transactions have taken place so far.
The Shanghai market after being very weak, owing principally to the small final dividend paid on Orientals, has however recovered a little and as we go to press the market in Shanghai is decidedly steadier all round.
Rubber remains neglected.
The following are the principal alterations since last week.
Hongkong Banks:—Have declined to $860 owing to the rise in exchange, at which price a few shares have changed hands.
Unions:—Are steady and have come to business at $255.
Shell Transports:—After being done at 95s. 0d., are slightly easier.
Hongkong Lands:—Have buyers at $201 1/2, and few if any sellers.
Humphreys:—Have buyers at $10.60 without attracting sellers.
Indo Chinas:—Have been up and down, owing to fluctuations in exchange, and close with buyers at $275 London Register.
Hongkong Docks:—Are wanted at $168.
Cements:—Have been quiet for the last week and show rather more tone at the close, with buyers offering $21 1/4 without attracting sellers.
Hongkong Electrics:—Could now be placed at $24 cum rights.

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Shanghai, March 20, 1922
Market 72.575
Native Interest 05
Mexican Dollars
Shanghai Gold Bars 975
Touch 327
Copper Cash 219.000
Bar Silver 33 3/8
" **London rate**
Bank rate of Discount 5%
Paris on London 48.55
New York on London ... 440
Banks Opening Selling Rates.
London
Telegraphic Transfer per Tael ..... 3s. 2d.
Demand ..... 3s. 2 1/4d.
New York
Telegraphic Transfer .. 69 3/4
Demand 70
Paris
Demand 773
India
Demand 247 1/2
Hongkong
Demand 75 1/2
Yokohama
Demand 68 3/4
Batavia
Demand 187
Singapore
Demand 73
Banks Opening Buying Rates.
London Nominal
Demand ..... 3s. 4d.
4 m-s. Credits ..... 3s. 4 1/2d.
4 m-s. Docs. ..... 3s. 5d.
6 m-s. Credits ..... 3s. 5d.
6 m-s. Docs. ..... 3s. 5 1/2d.
New York Nominal
Demand 72 1/2
4 m-s. Credits 73 3/4
4 m-s. Docs. 74 1/4
Paris
4 m-s. 820
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate
@ 72 1/2 = Tls. 137.92
@ exch. 72.8 = Mex. $189.45
Sovereign: Bank buying rate
@ 3s. 4d. = Tls. 6.00
@ 72.8 = Mex. $8.24
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G.$50 @ exch. 72 1/2 = Tls. 68.96
Fr. 250 @ exch. 790 = Tls. 31.64
1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. $1.33 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

CUSTOM HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MARCH

Hk. Tls. 5.45	@ 3s. 3 1/2d.	£1	
" 1.26	@ 71 1/2	Gold	$1
" 1	@ 820 1/2	Fr.	9.14
" 1	@ —	Marks	—
" 1	@ 67	Yen	1.46
" 1	@ 253 1/2	Rupees	2.82
" 1	@ 1.50	Mex.	$1.50
" 1	@ —	Roubles	—
" 1	@ 14.375	Ital. Lire	16.01

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 71 1/2
Demand buying on America 72 3/4
Demand selling on London 3s. 3d.
Demand buying on London 3s. 3 3/4d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS
(Far Eastern Bank)

Time	Quotations	Bars
Opening		
9:00	326.50	
9:30	327.10	560
10:05	327.30	600
10:35	328.00	525
11:05	327.90	525
11:35	327.30	1715
Closing at		
12:00	327.50	560
Afternoon		
2:00	325.50	
2:20	325.10	910
2:50	325.40	735
Closing at		
3:00	325.30	140

ROUBLES EXCHANGE
Banks' Buying Rate
Roubles 190,000 ....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex. $0.67

LIRE EXCHANGE
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 13.85 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.60 = 1 Tael
Marks 195.00 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 86.05 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 19.45 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 176.50 = 100 Fr. Francs

The Small Investors' Co.
Shanghai, March 20, 1922
BUSINESS REPORTED
Anglo Javas Tls. 3.90
Ziangbes Tls. 1.75
Ewo Cottons Tls. 17.15
Oriental Cotton Tls. 10.50
Tls. 10.60
Shanghai Dock Tls. 108.00
Culty Dairy Tls. 11.00
Langkats Tls. 9.00

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Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$880 B.
Chartered	£14 1/4
Russo-Asiatic	R. 250
Marine Insurance.	
Canton	H.$486 B.
North China	Tls. 144
Union of Canton.	H. 350 B.
Yangtsze	$24 1/2 B.
Far Eastern Ins..	Tls. 22 3/4
Fire Insurance ..	
China Fire	H.$125 1/2 B.
Hongkong Fire ..	H.$367 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def ..	H. $287 B.
Indo-China Pref..	H$36 B.
"Shell"	92/6
Shanghai Tug ord	Tls. 40 B.
S'hai Tug Pref. ..	Tls. 37 1/4
Mining	
Xaiping	Tls. 22 1/2 B.
Oriental Cons ..	12/-
Raub	H.$1 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock.	H.$169 S.
Shanghai Dock ..	Tls. 102 B.
New Eng. Works.	Tls. 7 1/4
" Pref. ..	Tls. 4 1/4 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf .	Tls. 142 1/2
Hongkong Wharf.	H.$90 B.
Lands and Hotels	
A.-French Land.	Tls. 87 1/2
Shanghai Land ..	Tls. 80
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 3
S'hai Hotel, Ltd..	Tls. 55 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 17 1/4
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 100
Laou-kung-mow .	Tls. 20
Oriental	Tls. 10.35 B.
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 145
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H.130 B.
Green Island	H.21 1/2 S.
Langkats	Tls. 9 B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra ..	Tls. 80
Stores	
Hall and Holts ..	$9
Llewelyn	$80
Lane Crawford ..	$103 B.
Moutrie	$40
Watson	H.$10 B.
Weeks	$13
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 2 3/4
Amherst	Tls. 0.15
Anglo-Java	Tls. 3.85
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 1 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 11 1/2 B.
Batu Anam 1918.	Tls. 0.35
Bute	Tls. 0.40
Bukit Toh Alang.	Tls. 1
Chemor United ..	Tls. 0.35
Chempedak	Tls. 1 1/2 B.
Cheng	Tls. 1
Consolidated	Tls. 1
Dominion	Tls. 0.60 B.
Gula Kalumpong.	Tls. 4 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 6 B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.20
Kapayang	Tls. 6
Karan	Tls. 2 B.
Kedah	Tls. 0.20 B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.60
Kroewoek Java ..	Tls. 4 B.
Padang	Tls. 3
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1
Permata	Tls. 1
Repah	Tls. 25 cts.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.40
Seekees	Tls. 50 cts.
Semambu	Tls. 0.80
Senawang	Tls. 0.60
S'hai Klebang ...	Tls. 0.85
Shanghai Malay .	Tls. 1
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 5
Shanghai Pahang.	Tls. 50 cts.
Sungala	Tls. 25 cts.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 5
Sua Manggis	Tls. 1
S'hai Seremban ..	Tls. 0.40
Taiping	Tls. 0.15
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.25
Tebeng	Tls. 0.80
Tiangbes	Tls. 1 3/4 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 10
Shanghai Trams..	Tls. 102 1/4 B.
Shanghai Gas ...	Tls. 27 1/4 B.
Horse Bazaar ...	Tls. 40
S'hai Mercury ..	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone .	Tls. 85 B.
S'hai Waterworks.	Tls. 146

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Stock Exchange
Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, March 20, 1922
OFFICIAL BUSINESS
Oriental Cotton Tls. 10.50
Tls. 10.60
Shanghai Tug (Ord.) Tls. 40.00
S. & H. Wharves Tls. 143.00
Tls. 143.50
Telephones Tls. 85.50
Ewo Mills Tls. 17.15 March
UNOFFICIAL
Anglo Dutch Tls. 1.10
Shanghai Lands Tls. 89.00
Shanghai Tug (Ord.) Tls. 40.00